

Reinforced Invasion Troops Push Inland

Invasion Highlights

LONDON, June 8.—(P)—Prime Minister Churchill warned the House of Commons today to guard against "over optimism" in the battle of Europe and against "the idea that these things are going to be settled in a rush."

"Although great dangers lie behind," he declared, "enormous exertions lie before us."

SUPREME HEADQUARTERS Allied Expeditionary Force, June 8.—(P)—Marines played a unique role in the invasion. Picked leatherneck sharpshooters rode high in the masts of the big ships of the bombardment force and picked off floating mines with their rifles.

BERN, Switzerland, June 8.—(P)—A state of siege has been declared in Rouen, inland from Le Havre, and great fires are raving the city, the Swiss telegraph agency reported today.

WASHINGTON, June 8.—(P)—Secretary of War Stimson reported today that a recent three-day period of heavy fighting preceding the fall of Rome cost American forces in Italy 2,379 casualties.

American casualties in the Italian campaign from the landings last September to May 30 amounted to 57,529, Stimson said.

Of these 9,964 were killed, 38,554 wounded and 9,011 missing.

LONDON, June 8.—(P)—Displaying every emotion from arrogance to bewilderment, the first large group of German prisoners from the Allied beachheads in northern France were landed last night at an invasion port in England.

The prisoners, both officers and men, were marched to waiting trucks and moved to an undisclosed destination under an armed guard. Among the captives were four Poles, one of whom said he had been captured and drafted by the Nazis.

LONDON, June 8.—(P)—Seven Allied battleships—three of them American—and scores of flanking cruisers and destroyers including revenge-irish French, Norwegian, Polish and Dutch ships, comprised the task forces which ripped the first beaches in Hitler's Atlantic wall.

The battleship Texas led the western task force under Rear Admiral Alan Goodrich Kirk. The squadron also included the battleships Arkansas and Nevada.

ROME, June 8.—(P)—Pope Pius XII and Lt. Gen. Mark W. Clark, commander of the Fifth Army, talked for ten minutes today in the Pope's private office in the Vatican library.

Afterwards the Pope greeted Maj. Gen. Alfred H. Gruenther, chief of staff for the Fifth Army, Maj. Gen. H. H. Johnson, Rome area commander, Brig. Gen. Edgar E. Hume, chief of the American military government, and Col. (Chaplain) Patrick Ryan, 5th Army chaplain.

After the audience Gen. Clark visited St. Peter's church with Msgr. Walter Carroll, Pittsburgh, Pa., American representative in the office of the Papal secretary.

The Pope had urged war correspondents to let the ultimate general purpose of their writing be for peace.

SUPREME HEADQUARTERS Allied Expeditionary Force, June 8.—(P)—The latest compilation of aerial losses since the beginning of the invasion showed 177 Allied planes missing and at least 174 enemy planes destroyed.

Losses reported today, covering mostly yesterday's operations, totaled 104, including 29 British heavy bombers failing to return from night missions, two American heavy bombers, and 48 American fighters and fighter-bombers.

Russians Watch Invasion

MOSCOW, June 8.—(P)—Russian newspapers reported on all phases of the invasion of France today, carrying maps and pictures of barges and tanks—exceptional coverage of any operation by the other Allies.

"Russian infantry will march soon across German land," Red Star promised. Izvestia observed that Pierre Laval should be sad "because he has to be hanged on the first lamp post."

All Set for Bond Quota in Seven Hours

United Effort on Part of All Will 'Get Job Done'

All arrangements are made for Pettis county to go over the top in the Fifth War Loan Friday afternoon beginning at 2 o'clock. Induction centers, where bond buyers will report to back the attack by pledging to buy war bonds, have been set up in strategic locations throughout the county. Every school house outside Sedalia has been designated as a place for the sale of bonds. Nineteen induction centers will be opened in Sedalia, staffed with trained personnel, for the rapid signing of pledges.

The induction centers will be open until 9 o'clock in the evening. The Bond Headquarters, 308 South Ohio avenue, will receive an hour by hour report from each induction center to secure late information on the progress of the drive throughout the county. Ben Robinson, co-chairman of Sedalia division of the Pettis County War Finance committee, will have a large share of the direction of the drive from Bond Headquarters. Mrs. Chester Wright, women's chairman of the War Finance committee, will also aid in the placing of workers in each of the Sedalia induction centers. The phone numbers of the Headquarters are 67 and 91.

Subscribe the Limit

The war bond goal of \$895,000 for Pettis county will be attained in seven hours if each citizen subscribes the limit in the purchase of bonds. Calls will be made on every home in Pettis county, either by phone or in person, from 2 o'clock until the end of the drive. "Put Pettis county over the line, between the hours of two and nine."

Bothwell Hospital Notes

Mrs. William Ralston, Clinton, admitted for medical treatment. Donald Hall, 8 years old, son of Mrs. Marie Hall, 1609 South Carr avenue, admitted for tonsillectomy.

Miss Claudine Stoffel of Otterville and Bill and Fred Harding, twin sons of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Harding, Jr., dismissed.

Mrs. John D. Rucker 1320 South Ohio avenue, admitted for medical treatment.

Donald Hall, 1609 South Carr avenue, tonsillectomy.

U. E. Sartin, Warsaw; Mrs. Ida Wise, Knob Noster; Mrs. Warren S. McManess, 620 South Massachusetts avenue; William M. Hazel, LaMonte; C. W. Decker, Pleasant Green; Barbara Lee Conn, 515 Dal-Whi-Mo Court; Mrs. J. C. Crutcher, 614 West Broadway; Mrs. Robert W. Bonehard and infant daughter, 210 West Third street, dismissed.

President Signs Bill For Payment For \$500 to Sedalia

WASHINGTON, June 8.—(P)—President Roosevelt has signed a bill authorizing payment of \$500 to Miss Bernadine Salmons of Sedalia, Mo., for injuries she suffered when the auto in which she was riding was struck by an army air corps tractor near Tipton, Mo., Aug. 10, 1941.

Retail Stores and Banks Will Close Friday Afternoon

Sedalia Retail stores and banks will close Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock for the Pettis County Fifth War Loan Drive. The banks will transact business only for the sale of bonds, after the special closing hour of 2 o'clock. The Sedalia Retail Merchants association voted to close for the bond drive at its last meeting. Grocery stores will not close.

Jeeps Splash Through Water Towards French Soil



From the mouth of a landing transport tank, Allied soldiers and jeeps stream ashore on the coast of France. Other equipment may be seen on the shore in the background. Photo by NEA Photographer Bert Brandt for War Picture Pool. (Photo via Signal Corps Radiotelephoto from NEA)

Bond Drive 'Colonels,' Locations

Fire Engine House Number 2—Harry Lindstrom.

Missouri Pacific Shops—Fred Brink, Mrs. Ruth Riley.

Third National Bank—C. L. Hanley.

Union Savings Bank—Felix Sullivan.

County Court House—John Ryan.

Pacific Cafe—Chet Wright.

Fox Theater—Aaron Gardner.

M-K-T Shops—Guy Peabody, Harry Brunkhorst.

Sedalia Bank and Trust company—C. L. Carter.

Postoffice Building—Ed Mulale.

Elks Club—Hugo Sparr, A. A. Studebaker.

Front of Penney's store—P. Hedrich.

Horace Mann school—Ernest Baker, J. E. Morrow.

Washington school—Al Pringle, Miss Bessie Perkins.

Whittier school—Oscar Leslie.

Miss Katharine Gorman.

Mark Twain school—Rev. H. U. Campbell, Tom Walsh.

Broadway school—Tom Cloney, Rev. A. J. Brunswick.

Jefferson school—R. C. Parkhurst, Elmer Summers.

Hubbard high school—Prof. C. C. Hubbard, Pinkney Miller.

Reuter was a reporter on the Capital at the time he entered the service, leaving Sedalia with the old 128th Field Artillery, Missouri National Guards in December of 1940. He and Lawson were good friends when in Sedalia.

Seventeen Die In Plane Crash

SAN DIEGO, Calif., June 8.—(P)—Names of 17 men killed in a navy lighter bomber crash at the Camp Kearny auxiliary air station on Kearny mesa Tuesday were reported last night by the 11th naval district.

Twelve navy men also were injured in the accident.

The dead included Seaman Ulla S. Spangler, Marshall, Ark.

The injured included Aviation-mechanic Mate William J. Harrison, St. James, Mo.; Cleo E. Harrett, seaman, Paragould, Ark.; Phineas E. Stockton, marine private, Fouke, Ark.

The Weather

MISSOURI: Showers and occasional thunderstorms tonight, Friday and Saturday; not much change in temperature; highest Friday 70-75 over most of the state; occasional showers Sunday and Monday; rain fall will total heavy next 4 days.

Central Missouri: Showers and occasional thundershowers today, tonight and Friday. Little change in temperature, highest temperature today 75 degrees.

Sunrise 5:47 a. m. Sunset 8:36 p. m.

Lake of the Ozarks 2.3 fall .1.

Last quarter June 13; new moon June 20.

Two Former Democrat-Capital Reporters Meet in New Guinea

Two former Sedalia Democrat-Capital reporters, now in the armed service, had a surprise meeting somewhere in New Guinea shortly after their arrival in the South Pacific theater of war and are still "keeping everything under control." They are Lieutenant Jack Reuter, a member of the Capital force, and Lieutenant Edward "Eddie" Lawson, formerly of the Democrat, but with the Associated Press at the time of entering the service.

A letter was received this morning by D. Kelly Scruton, in which it stated in part, "This place has its bad points, but we are able to take care of everything as it comes. Ed. Lawson and I are keeping everything under control. He just lives a couple of tents from me at present. We take in the shows together at nights and spend a lot of time talking about Sedalia. "I ran into him after I had been here about five minutes. It's a small world after all."

Heavy Rains

"The only news over here is when it stops raining. The rain-fall is measured by feet. We manage to keep up with the news but it gets here a couple of days late. They have a newspaper here distributed free to the armed forces that is pretty good."

"I haven't had any mail from the states since March 15, so I am behind on the news."

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Airport Work Not City Duty

Grading and preliminary work on the Sedalia airport, on the old highway 50, west of Sedalia, is progressing, T. H. Yount, first ward alderman and chairman of the city council airport committee said today.

Mr. Yount was somewhat worried Wednesday, following motion taken just before adjournment of the city council Monday night. Richard Keenan, opposed to the present plan of development of the airport for a flying school, offered a motion "that after the signing of the contract-lease on the municipal airport property, city employees must not be required to go to the leased airport site to perform work in line of duty."

The motion was seconded by John F. Taylor and passed by a vote of six members. Mr. Yount voted no and Leo Eickhoff, the fourth ward alderman, who had been excused from the meeting a few minutes before, was not present.

This action temporarily hindered work on the field, because Mr. Yount had expected to have some of it done by city employees. However, he states he found cooperation from workers elsewhere and the work is progressing.

Wounded Soldiers Buy Bonds

NEW YORK, June 8.—(P)—Wounded American soldiers repatriated on the exchange liner Gripsholm, collected their accumulated back pay at Halloran hospital yesterday, but it didn't stay in their pockets long.

Fifteen of the 49 wounded men bought more than \$4,000 in war bonds within four hours.

No Date Set For Holland Preliminary

Woman, Friend of Family, Believed Missing, is Located

Rumors that Edgar W. Holland, farmer and former Sedalia automobile dealer charged with the murder of his wife Mrs. Molly Mattie Holland, 36, might know something of the disappearance of another Missouri woman, were unfounded according to the state highway patrol. The believed-to-be missing woman has been located in Los Angeles, California, and is very much alive.

The woman, said to have been Mrs. Mae Sorbitz of St. Louis, was located in California by the patrol after rumors had reached them she had been missing since last winter and had not been heard from since last January. Mrs. Sorbitz, a friend of Mr. and Mrs. Holland, had visited the Holland farm, seven miles northwest of La Monte several times.

It was said she had accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Holland to the state of California last winter and decided to remain in that part of the country for a more extended visit.

Soldier Writes of Case

A letter from Sergeant Raymond Hoover, formerly of the neighborhood in which the bodies were found, states that he assisted Holland in launching a boat at a dead end road last October, near the resort of Eddie Wilson. It was at this same spot that the body of Mrs. Fairfax was found on Sunday, April 16, while a short distance away in the water the body of Mrs. Holland was found on Monday, April 17.

Wilson said he had received a note from the sergeant in which the soldier stated that last October he had aided Holland in the launching of a boat at the exact spot where the bodies were found.

Holland denied ever launching a boat in the lake at the dead end road, although he did say he put a boat into the water at Eddie's place.

No Preliminary Date

Today Prosecuting Attorney L. J. Harned said no date had been set as yet for the preliminary hearing for Holland, nor had the now pending charges in the court now be put under pressure to halt all trade with Germany.

Fifth Army Captures Bracciano

Nazis Retreating In Italy in Bad State of Demoralization

ROME, June 8.—(P)—The Fifth Army has captured Civitavecchia, Rome's principal port, 38 miles northwest of the capital, and today was thrusting swiftly up the west coast to maintain contact with the retreating enemy.

Other Fifth army units, speeding in a more northerly direction, captured the town of Bracciano, 20 miles north of Rome, on the west shore of the large lake of the same name. Still another column was last reported passing the lake on the east side, 15 miles north of Rome.

The Germans still appeared to be withdrawing in a bad state of demoralization, without any indication yet available as to when they might turn and attempt a determined stand.

An official spokesman declared "the battered remnants of the German 14th army are in a considerable state of disorganization. Upwards of 40 Wehrmacht formations are represented in the collection of prisoners taken in the exodus from Rome and beyond. Apparently even battalions are attaching themselves to whatever higher echelon is available."

Allied forces driving due north of Rome captured Field Marshal Albert Kesselring's former headquarters, about three miles south-east of Civita Castellana.

Guard Headquarters

The headquarters, described as an "elaborate, tunnelled underground stronghold," was put under a strong guard.

The drive on Civita Castellana, about 25 miles northeast of Rome, made rapid progress up highway three and an official report that reconnaissance elements encountered some opposition west of the town indicated it might be bypassed first.

The Eighth army, meanwhile, punched into the Tiber valley above Rome and forged northward along the east banks of the river.

Gen. Sir Oliver Leese's men captured the important town of Monterotondo, 12 miles northeast of Rome, and the same distance northwest of Tivoli, and the nearby towns of Sant' Angelo, Romano, Guidonia and Mentana. Guidonia is valuable because it has an air field.

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Expect Action From Neutrals

By John M. Hightower

WASHINGTON, June 8.—(P)—Allied invasion forces are cracking the diplomatic as well as the military defenses of Hitler Europe.

Officials said today that major changes in the positions of neutral nations may be expected as soon as several skeptical by-standers are convinced the Allies are winning this campaign and are going to win the war.

This should occur within 10 days or two weeks when the main Allied armies and the enemy's strategic reserves have clashed in the climatic engagement of the invasion.

After that it should cease to be an invasion and become instead a land campaign aimed at destruction of German military strength and conquest of the German nation.

The fact that the battle on the beaches was won Tuesday without terrific losses is understood to have shaken severely the position of those neutral leaders who have not yet been convinced of the certainty of Allied victory.

Notable among these are reported to be Generalissimo Francisco Franco of Spain and ranking military men in Finland. Franco, despite the record of restrained conduct which won him Prime Minister Churchill's "kindly words," has doubted all along that Germany could be compelled to unconditional surrender. He may now be put under pressure to halt all trade with Germany.

Wet, Otherwise Uninjured

By John A. Moroso
Associated Press War Correspondent
Representing the Combined American Press

A BRITISH INVASION PORT, June 7.—(Delayed)—(P)—Seventeen members of an American anti-aircraft battery, who survived a 10-hour ordeal on a half-submerged LCT that went down off the French invasion coast, were brought here today suffering from submersion but otherwise unharmed.

The lads, mostly from southwestern states, were heading for the beachhead under a furious barrage from German 88's when the craft started to leak. An attempt was made to beach the ship, but concussion from nearby ships firing on the beaches opened the plates, and the ship went down with the loss of all its equipment.

While the battle went on all along the beaches these lads clung to parts of the ship still above water until a U. S. Coast Guard vessel rescued them, and carried them back to England.

One was Cpl. Carl Wood, Brashmear, Mo.

MacArthur 880 Miles From Philippines

American Invaders Outsmarted Biak Defenders

By William Phipps
Associated Press War Editor

Gen. Douglas MacArthur owned an airbase today within bomber range of the Philippines—the Allies' first since Japan's steamroller crushed them back against Australia early in the Pacific war.

Toughened American invaders of Biak, largest island of the Schouten group off Dutch New Guinea, outsmarted the Japanese defenders to grab Mokmer airdrome after 12 days of savage fighting. Mokmer is only 880 miles southeast of the Philippines.

Announcement of the Yanks' Mokmer triumph highlighted Japanese setbacks in every Pacific theater except central China where fierce Chinese resistance was being overcome around Changsha.

This key Hankow-Canton railway center in Hunan province was being strangled slowly by six Japanese spearheads in a drive to split China from north to south.

But the Chinese pressed ahead on the Salween river front in their thrust through Yunnan province toward Burma where other Allied forces are fighting to link the Burma and Ledo roads. In India, Allied troops pursued Japanese fleeing the Kohima area.

Bangkok Attack

Bangkok, capital of Japanese-held Thailand, was rocked in the heaviest attack of the war by

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YMCA Subject Of Club Talk

"The YMCA Organization," was the subject of a talk by USO Director Wayne Van Zandt before the Sedalia Kiwanis club meeting in Bothwell hotel Thursday noon. This year is the 100th anniversary observance of the founding of the YMCA.

Pinkney Miller presided as program chairman and introduced the speaker.

Rev. Fr. A. J. Brunswick made a plea for church attendance this coming Sunday in relation to the current invasion and offering prayers for members of the fighting forces.

Kiwanians also received an invitation to attend the BPO Elks Flag Day services at Liberty park next Wednesday evening.

Because of the activity of club members who will be engaged in the bond drive Friday, President J. H. Brunkhorst announced that the board of directors meeting scheduled for Friday will be postponed one week.

Guests at the meeting were: Corporal William Faulkner with his step-father Clyde Heynen; and Kiwanian J. H. Worley, new manager of Bothwell hotel.

Beachhead Troops Join Paratroops

Heavy Battles, With Tanks and Reserves Flare Over Peninsula

By Wes Gallagher

SUPREME HEADQUARTERS Allied Expeditionary Force, June 8.—(P)—Allied liberating troops, with the first phase of invasion accomplished, struck southward from captured Bayeux today in fierce fighting and began the second step of defeating German tactical reserves thrown into battle.

A steady stream of reinforcements by sea and air strengthened the massive spearhead, and Berlin reported a pincers threat to seize the tip of the jutting Cherbourg peninsula and its great port of Cherbourg.

The first phase of invasion, "which might be said to be securing a foothold and defeating local German reserves, has been accomplished," supreme headquarters announced.

The Allies now are beginning the second stage of defeating Nazi "tactical reserves," and still ahead is the third task of crushing "strategic reserves" perhaps massing already for a strong counter-blow.

Specific directions and progress in today's fighting were not disclosed, but headquarters announced that medium bombers had struck heavily at the town of Caen, 16 miles southeast of Bayeux, starting fires. The Allies have plunged near Caen, nine miles inland on the peninsula's base.

Fighting in Caen

Prime Minister Churchill said Tuesday that there was fighting in Caen, perhaps referring to parachutists who had reached there. Nazi counterblows near Caen were repulsed yesterday, headquarters said.

Tactical reserves consist of forces immediately at Field Marshal Erwin Rommel's disposal—the full forces of the seventh and 15th armies which now are in process of engaging the Allies, as well as the German army group in the south of France.

Strategic reserves would consist of as much of the whole German army as the Germans might move in from anywhere outside the battle region—from Germany itself or other theaters.

American heavy bombers blasted railway installations at Rennes, Laval, Tours, La Mans, Nantes and Angers, in support of the beachhead forces, flying out 750 to 1,000 strong.

Nazi Report

A German broadcast, totally without confirmation, said 1,300 gliders used to rush in a huge airborne army, had been destroyed or captured.

Capture of Bayeux snipped the railway between Paris and Cherbourg, 45 miles to the northwest, and opened the way for a thrust deeper inland.

But farther west the Germans pictured Allied forces already within 20 miles of a junction that would choke off Cherbourg itself. Berlin declared house-to-house fighting raged in Ste. Mere-Eglise, 20 miles southeast of the port and said parachutists had landed on the west coast only a score of miles southeast of Ste. Mere-Eglise.

There was no Allied confirmation of west coast landings or fighting at Ste. Mere-Eglise, on one of the two main roads to Cherbourg.

Heavy battles, with tanks and reserves sped up by both sides, flared over the peninsula. Allied beachhead troops are linking up with airborne forces dropped deeper inland, headquarters said, and improvement in adverse weather aided reinforcements from glider sky trains.

Field reports declared British-Canadian troops had captured a number of French towns and villages, advancing on open roads to points some miles from the coast. Infantrymen rode up to battle on

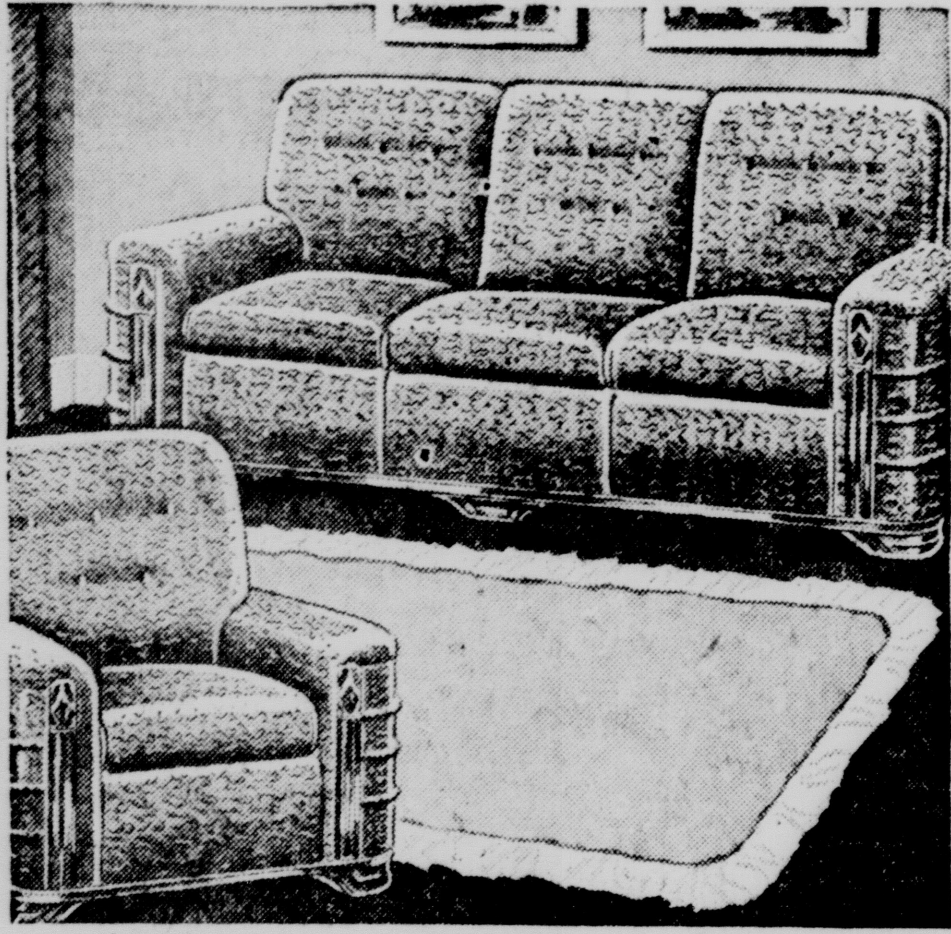
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Pettis County Over the Line, Between the Hours of 2 and 9

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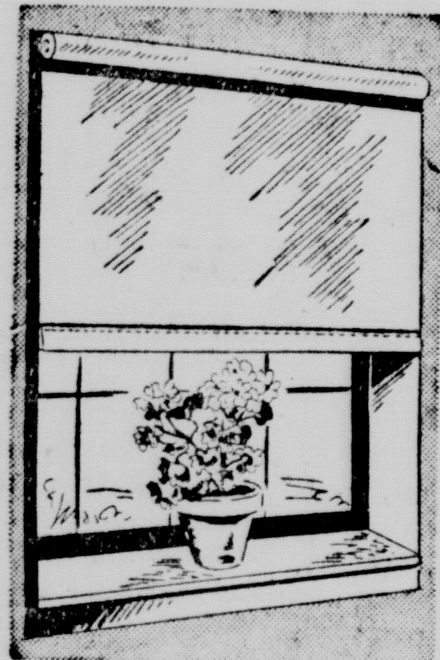
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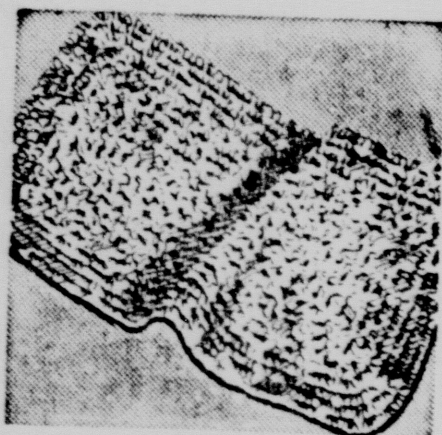
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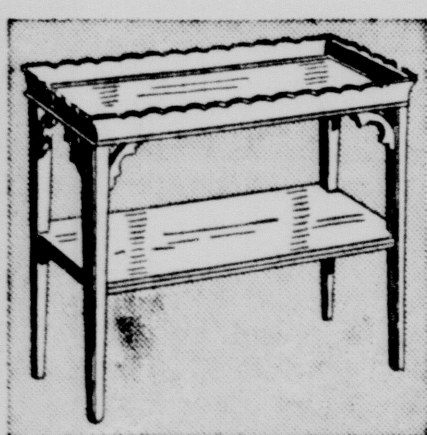
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S/Sgt. Mahlon E. Rhoads, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Rhoads, route 3, Sedalia, is among a group of men who have been awarded air medals for heroism in the Southwest Pacific theater of war, according to an Associated Press report.

The award was made by Lt. Gen. George C. Kennedy, who last December awarded to Sgt. Rhoads the Distinguished Flying Cross for 'extraordinary achievement' while participating in 50 operational flight missions in the same area.



S/Sgt. M. E. Rhoads

At that time he was cited for success in dropping supplies and transporting troops to advanced positions in flights which involved flying at low altitudes over mountainous terrain under adverse weather conditions, often being forced to land near enemy bases, but demonstrating ability and devotion to duty throughout.

He attended Smith-Cotton high school and was employed at the M. K. T. shops before entering the army in September, 1942. A brother, Glenn Rhoads, lives southwest of Sedalia, and a sister, Mrs. T. H. Pohl, resides south of LaMonte.

Mr. and Mrs. Rhoads received a letter from him last week, dated May 20, but he said nothing about having received the medal. He has been in New Guinea for some time.

At 20 miles per hour there are 12 fatalities in each 1000 automobile accidents but at 31 miles per hour and over there are 92—more than a seven-fold increase.

In some parts of Scotland, the finding of a four-leaf clover denotes bad instead of good luck.

Bond headquarters, 318 South Ohio avenue, phone 67 and 91.

Pension To Missouri Aged \$2,279,057

JEFFERSON CITY, June 8—(P)—Old age pensions totaling \$2,279,057 were paid to 103,402 Missouri oldsters for June, the social

security commission announced Wednesday.

The checks went to 357 fewer persons than last month and they were paid a total of \$8,399 more than in May, increasing the average check to \$22.04—a 16-cent rise.

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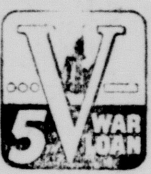
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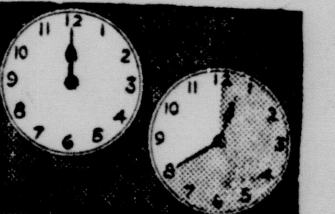
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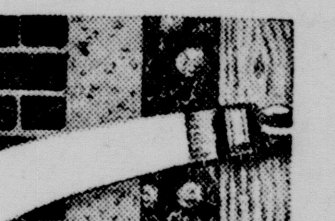
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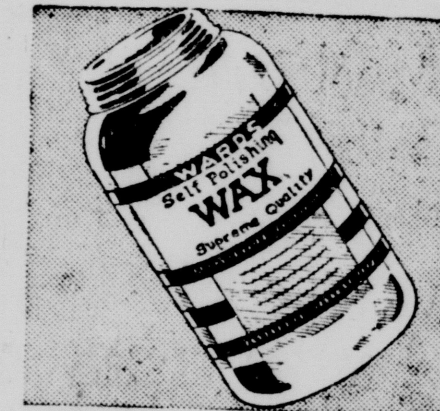


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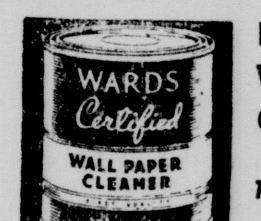
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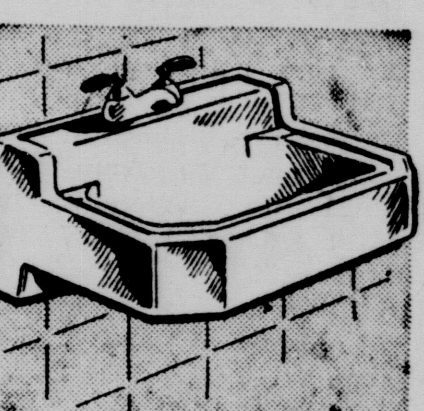
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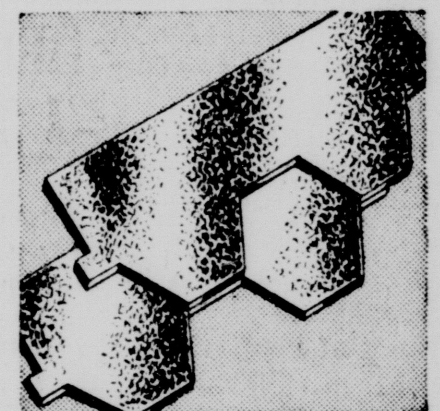
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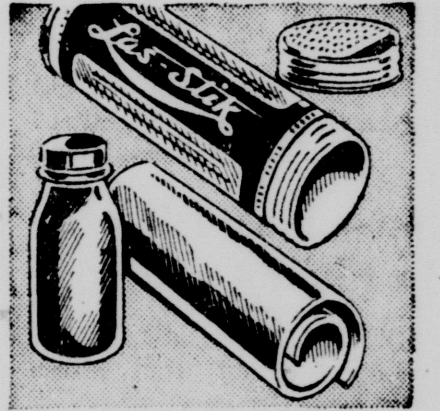
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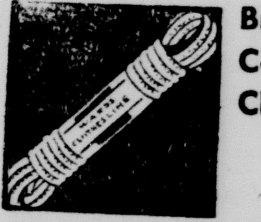
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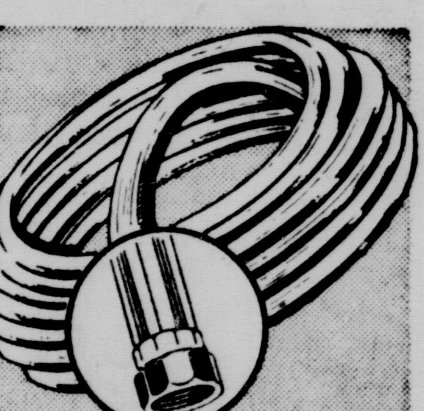
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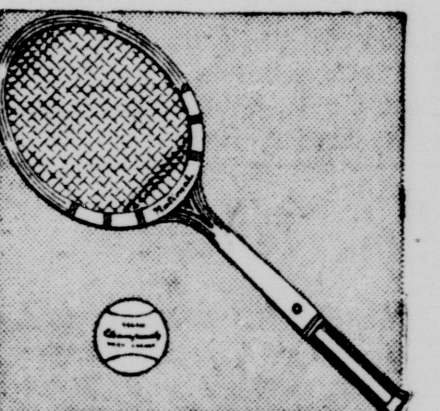
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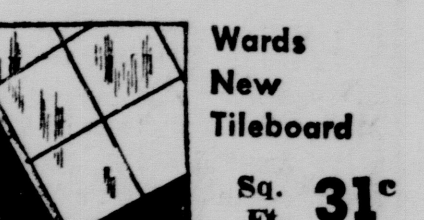
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No Date Set For Holland Preliminary

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of Judge C. W. Bente, sitting as ex-officio justice of the peace, been dismissed. The charges will probably be dismissed within a few days as soon as Holland's lawyer, Fred F. Wesner, local attorney and Harned get together to discuss the setting of the hearing date.

Last Saturday Harned said the charges would be dismissed in the Bente court and would be refiled in another court with jurisdiction over the case, probably in the court of A. M. Harlan.

In the meantime Holland is being held in the Pettis county jail without bail.

The two headless bodies, found in the Lake of the Ozarks last mid-April, have been identified as those of Mrs. Holland, wife of Edgar and Mrs. Pearl Fairfax, 59, mother of Mrs. Holland. Identification was made through the efforts of the highway patrol with the assistance of friends, relatives, and doctors. Finger-prints played a big part in the identification of Mrs. Holland, comparisons of the dead woman's prints being made with those found on articles at the Holland home.

Births

Twins, a boy and a girl, were born to Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Walters, 213 East Second street, Wednesday night at Bothwell hospital.

Daughter, born to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Finley, 5746 East Florence, Hollydale, Calif., on June 7. Mrs. Finley is the former Miss Pearl Kreisel and is the daughter of Fred Kreisel, 507 West Twentieth street. Mr. Finley is also a former Sedalia, Mo., and Mrs. Finley have another child.

Daughter, born June 2 to Mr. and Mrs. Lester Shults at their home in Ottaville. The baby weighed eight and one-half pounds and has been named Juanita Lavern.

Pentecostal Church Bible School Closes

The vacation Bible school at the Pentecostal Church of God at Sixth and Emmett streets, closed last Friday with the commencement program in the evening. The children were served ice cream the last day of the school.

The program was opened by song. Prayer was offered by the Rev. C. M. Arbuckle, followed by the pledge to the Bible and the flags and the school motto. Several chapters of the Bible were recited by the children, as well as songs and readings.

The children were given crowns with different colored stars for their work. Mrs. Charles Palmer acted as superintendent and junior teacher.

Mrs. C. H. Earhardt was the primary teacher, and Mrs. C. M. Arbuckle taught the intermediates. Mrs. D. A. Vanderlinden acted as assistant.

Funeral Services For Mrs. Whitley Friday

Funeral services for Mrs. Lulu Whitley, 209 North Washington, who died Sunday, will be held at 2:00 o'clock Friday afternoon at the A. M. E. church with Rev. M. H. Vanhoose officiating.

The body will be taken to the family home at 6:30 o'clock this afternoon.

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Lieut. J. W. Russell Awarded Air Medal

Second Lieut. James W. Russell, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Russell, 1608 East Broadway, has been awarded the air medal by Lt. Gen. Geo. C. Kenney, commander of Allied Air Forces in the Southwest Pacific.

Lt. Russell, who is somewhere in New Guinea, is a graduate of Smith-Cotton high school. He was graduated from the advanced flying school at Spence Army Air Field and qualified for aviation cadet training from the enlisted ranks.

B. F. Abbott, Minister, Dies

The Rev. Benjamin Franklin Abbott, retired Negro minister, died Wednesday at city hospital No. 2 after an illness of two weeks. He resided at 219 East St. Louis street.

Born in Lincoln county, Mo., January 11, 1867, he was the second eldest son of Peter and Doris Abbott. In January 1904 Benjamin Abbott entered George R. Smith college at Sedalia and after being graduated he spent some years teaching, in addition to preaching. He later did graduate work at Northwestern university, Chicago, Ill.

In 1893 he was married to Miss Estella Bolser of Sweet Springs, who survives him. He also leaves one son, Carl E. Abbott, a daughter, Muriel, and a brother, John Abbott of Sedalia, three nieces and one nephew, Benjamin Harvey, who is serving overseas.

Reverend Abbott served efficiently five pastorates, climaxing his ministry at the Union Memorial church of St. Louis with 31 years of service. In 1921 he was appointed by the church as a delegate to the Ecumenical Conference which met in London, England. While abroad he visited Belgium, France, Italy and Germany.

He retired from the ministry in 1941, but was appointed by the Rev. Kirkpatrick, district superintendent of Sedalia district to fill the unexpired term of the Rev. W. F. Walker upon his death.

Funeral services will be held in St. Louis at Union Memorial church at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon. A short service will be conducted in Sedalia Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock with the Rev. Moore and Kirkpatrick officiating.

Burial will be in Crown Hill cemetery. The body is at the Ferguson funeral home.

Fifth Army Captures Bracciano

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army captured Subiaco, about 8 miles south of the main highway running across the Italian peninsula from Rome to the Adriatic, and stabbed up on a lateral road which had been one of the main German lines of retreat.

Enemy puts up scrap. Around Subiaco, the site of an ancient Benedictine monastery, enemy tanks and infantry put up a stiff scrap and the line of advance for armored units was held to the road, which was cratered by demolitions. The villages of Venne and Vallepietra were occupied in this area.

Enemy transport withdrawing toward Avezzano in the Apennines from Balorano was shelled heavily, and 11 German Mark V tanks were found. Some of these had broken down and they were set afire by the Germans.

Report Articles Missing From Farm Home

George Anson reported to the police this morning that sometime in the past few days, thieves entered his farm home, a mile and a half north of Beaman. The following articles were reported missing: wrecking hammer, post hole digger, two iron skillets, one granite dish pan, dishes and silverware, an aluminum teakettle. The intruder is believed to have used a pass key to gain entrance to the place.

Forfeits Traffic Bond.

Dr. W. H. Wheeler, 828 West Sixth street, forfeited a one dollar bond on a charge of making a left hand turn at Seventh street and Ohio avenue, when he failed to appear before Judge C. W. Bente.

Leaving Their Landing Craft Allied Soldiers Dash for Shore in France



Under cover of naval shell fire, American infantrymen wade through surf to make first landing on beach of the French coast. At right is the transport from which the men have disembarked. Photo by NEA Photographer Bert Brandt for War Picture Pool. (Photo via Signal Corps Radioteletype from NEA)

Personals

Sgt. Walter Schmidele of Camp Roberts, Calif., and Mrs. Schmidele of Moberly are guests for a brief visit of Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Walker of the Dean apartments. Sgt. Schmidele is on a 21-day furlough and will leave next Monday for his camp. Last week Sgt. and Mrs. Schmidele were accompanied here by their nine-months-old son, Richard Gordon.

Maj. James Blue, who has been attending school at Fort Sill, Okla., left Wednesday for Camp Campbell, Ky., after spending a leave here visiting his wife of 1415 West Third street, and his mother, Mrs. E. A. Blue, 1404 East Fourth street.

Lieut. and Mrs. Bert O. Hathaway arrived Wednesday evening from Norfolk, Va., for a visit with Mrs. Hathaway's parents, Rev. and Mrs. H. U. Campbell, 315 West Fourth street, and after a few days here they will visit Lieut. Hathaway's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hathaway.

Pvt. William Mullaley, who has been spending a few days furlough at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward P. Mullaley, has gone to Hammer Field, Fresno, Calif., to which place he is ordered.

Mrs. Pat Shea, 519 West Fourth street, has returned from a visit of several weeks with her sister, Mrs. T. F. Sullivan, in Ennis, Tex.

Mrs. Charles E. Messerly, Jr., of St. Louis, Mich., will arrive today for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Johns, 705 West Broadway.

Lieut. E. B. McNeill, Jr., who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. McNeill, 620 South Park avenue left Wednesday for Fairmont, Neb., where he has recently been transferred from Alamogordo, N. M.

Mrs. Mary Van Hoesen of Des Moines, Ia., who has been visiting her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Van Hoesen and daughter, C. R. Gottschalk, of Knob Noster, Pa. Gottschalk, LaMonte, route 3, and Victor Gottschalk, of the home.

Also surviving are two sisters, Mrs. C. C. Gentry, Sedalia, route 3, and Mrs. Frank Dexheimer, of Columbia, Mo.

Mr. Gottschalk had been employed by the Missouri-Pacific railroad for 47 years when he retired in 1941.

The body is at Gillespie's, where it will remain until the funeral hour.

Funeral Of John F. Aldred
Funeral services for John Fredrick Aldred, who died in Bethany hospital, Kansas City, Kas., Tuesday morning, were held at the Parker home, LaMonte, at two o'clock this afternoon. Officiating will be the Rev. Harvey J. Smith, of the LaMonte Christian church.

Funeral Of Harry Lee Hamm
The funeral of Harry Lee Hamm will be held at 9:30 o'clock Friday morning at St. Patrick's church, with the Rev. J. A. Bitter officiating.

Pallbearers who will serve will be Louis Dickman, Guy Johnston, Burns McGinley, Thomas Sedlack, Mrs. Elgin Smith and children, Jack, Sue and Judy, are here for a visit with Mrs. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Coffman, 1411 South Ohio avenue and Mr. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Smith, 1117 West Sixteenth street.

Mrs. K. E. Anderson and daughter, Mary Kay, have left for their home at Balboa, Calif., after a visit with her mother, Mrs. J. A. Detmer, 616 East Twelfth street. They were accompanied by Miss Betty Anderson who will visit friends in California.

Pfc. Harold L. Gardner, of Camp Shelby, Miss., is home for a ten-day furlough which he is spending with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Gardner, 1104 South Snead avenue.

George Taylor, a former Pettis gountian, residing at LaMonte and Sedalia for several years, now of Los Angeles, Calif., is visiting friends and relatives in the county for a few weeks.

Mrs. Elmer Clark Stone of Colorado Springs, Colo., is visiting relatives here, Mrs. Jean Rode-man, 409 East Fifth street, Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Lister, 900 South Quincy avenue, and Dr. and Mrs.

Obituaries

Charles Neblitt
Mrs. A. L. Walter and son, Charles, 1000 West Seventh street, left today for Hamburg, Iowa, to attend the funeral of Mrs. Walter's grandfather, Charles Neblitt, who died Wednesday. Funeral services will be held Friday.

Mr. Neblitt was 97 years of age.

Charles W. Gottschalk
Charles William Gottschalk, aged 70 years, a retired Missouri-Pacific locomotive engineer, died at his home five miles west of Sedalia Wednesday afternoon at three o'clock. He had been in ill health for several months.

A lifelong resident of Pettis county, he was born December 27, 1873, in Sedalia. On June 12, 1900, he was married to Miss Lillie Lee Hull, also of Sedalia, who survives, with his two daughters, Mrs. M. P. Gossar, Los Angeles, Calif., and Mrs. H. N. Painter, Ocean Springs, Miss., and three sons, C. R. Gottschalk, of Knob Noster, Pa. Gottschalk, LaMonte, route 3, and Victor Gottschalk, of the home.

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The committee of management for the USO club at Fifth street and Osage avenue, scheduled for tonight has been postponed and a meeting will be called for Thursday of next week instead.

Award to Captain Britt
Capt. Maurice L. Britt receives a couple of kisses from his mother, Mrs. Virgie Britt and his wife, the former Nancy Mitchell of Fort Smith, Ark., after having received the Congressional Medal of Honor for his heroism in Italy, at the football stadium in Fayetteville, Ark., where he won honors as a football hero. (Signal Corps Photo from NEA)

**Police Car Damaged
In Early Morning Crash**
Considerable damage resulted to one of the Sedalia police department cars, driven by Officer Joe Gresham, when it was struck by an automobile driven by R. B. Ellis, 1509 South Stewart, at Broadway and Ohio avenue, at 5:45 o'clock this morning. Ellis pleaded guilty in police court this morning before Judge C. W. Bente, and was fined \$20, on a charge of careless driving.

The police car, known as Car No. 7, was headed north on Ohio avenue. Ellis was going east on Broadway and made a left hand turn onto Ohio avenue, striking the side of the car police report. Slight damage resulted to the Ellis car.

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Beachhead Troops Join Paratroops

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bicycles and tanks to speed the advance.

British Advancing
A Berlin broadcast said British troops pushed through Bayeux early today and are advancing southwest toward the Vire river, which cuts the peninsula.

On the third day of the invasion, Supreme Commander Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower declared, "My complete confidence in the ability of the Allied armies, navies and air forces to do all they are asked to do has been completely justified."

Even as he spoke, Berlin reported the Russians had launched an offensive north of Iasi in Romania—perhaps the beginning of a coordinated nutcracker blow from the east.

Eisenhower declared the ground troops are "performing magnificently," praised the naval landing operations as surpassing any other amphibious operation he has seen and lauded the "long and brilliant" aerial campaign that proved such effective preparation for the landings.

Powerful air armadas scoured German defenses today, with 750 to 1,000 Flying Fortresses and Liberators mauling bridges, railroad targets and airfields in an area 100 to 150 miles south of the beachheads, and U. S. marauders starting fires in Caen, southeast of Bayeux, toward which a beachhead force is driving.

Taking Prisoners
Canadian and British troops have captured several hundred prisoners and shot up numerous Nazi 88-millimeter guns, field reports said. Canadian press correspondent Ross Munro, with Canadians in an unidentified sector, said the Germans were reported falling back in one area under persistent attacks, and "strength is being built up rapidly in the Allied bridgeheads for the big battles which should come any day, or even any hour."

The German high command declared the Allies had opened an attack from the bridgehead between Caen and Bayeux and that Nazi forces counterattacked. It added, "Heavy fighting continues."

Berlin said Americans who gained a foothold north of Carantan, some 27 miles southeast of Cherbourg, had suffered heavy casualties. It also claimed successes near the Orne river mouth, above Caen.

A landing attempt in the Bay of St. Martin at the northwest tip of the peninsula, near Cap de la Hague, was frustrated, the enemy high command said.

Allies Have Airfield
Engineer troops joined the flood of Allied reinforcements, helping in tearing down Atlantic wall defenses, and a U. S. Ninth air force troop carrier report of flying in jeeps and guns disclosed the Allies had captured or built at least one airfield on the peninsula.

"Everything is going excellently," said Gen. Sir Bernard L. Montgomery, ground forces commander.

It is now apparent the Allies have several beachheads on a 50-mile coastal stretch between Caen and Carantan, with some of them joined together.

Headquarters was silent on the Berlin reports that paratroopers in a deep, daring thrust had landed at Falaise and Argentan, 30 miles southeast of Caen, with street fighting flaring in Falaise.

The Germans said eight to 13 Allied divisions were fighting on the peninsula.

Thundering naval support of the drive continued, and Allied airmen destroyed 102 Nazi planes yesterday.

Hungry French villagers greeted liberating troops with flags and kisses.

Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower used his airborne troops to the fullest, and an observer on a ship in the channel said at one time "the sky overhead" became unbelievably crowded with aircraft. Four lanes of tow-plane traffic going each way spanned the channel.

The Germans likewise rushed in new strength and Prime Minister Churchill warned against over optimism, declaring "enormous exertions lie before us."

Some of the troops have been fighting continuously since Tuesday morning, and it is likely there may be a short lull in advances as they rest, regroup and bring up supplies.

MacArthur 880 Miles From Philippines

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strong forces of heavy bombers. Allied southeast Asia command headquarters announced today. The raid Monday battered railway shops and marshaling yards and the port "city's defenses apparently were caught by surprise," the communiqué said.

American fliers, striking from central Pacific bases, carried new attacks to Guam, prewar U. S. naval base 1,595 miles east of Manila, to Nauru and Ponape.

Possession of Mokmer airfield came in a sudden drive which outflanked the Japanese. Held up on the coastal road west of their Borneo beachhead, MacArthur's infantry threw a column inland and stormed Mokmer from behind. American losses were light, the communiqué said.

With Mokmer secured, the Yanks mounted a new assault toward Biak's other airfields—Boroke, two miles west and a mile inland and Orido, three and one-half miles west on the coast.

**Police Car Damaged
In Early Morning Crash**
Considerable damage resulted to one of the Sedalia police department cars, driven by Officer Joe Gresham, when it was struck by an automobile driven by R. B. Ellis, 1509 South Stewart, at Broadway and Ohio avenue, at 5:45 o'clock this morning. Ellis pleaded guilty in police court this morning before Judge C. W. Bente, and was fined \$20, on a charge of careless driving.

The police car, known as Car No. 7, was headed north on Ohio avenue. Ellis was going east on Broadway and made a left hand turn onto Ohio avenue, striking the side of the car police report. Slight damage resulted to the Ellis car.

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Late Market Reports

Livestock, Grain, Produce, Securities

Activity in Motors

By Victor Eubank

NEW YORK, June 8.—(P)—Despite feverish activity in motors and automotive accessories, a number of which touched peaks for the year or longer before meeting sales resistance, numerous stock market leaders today operated in losing territory.

Issues of companies with good peace prospects continued to attract investment demand on the idea that the invasion would be successful and that a conclusion of the European conflict might come sooner than expected. Some customers stood aside and accounts were trimmed elsewhere, however, to await more definite news from the fighting fronts.

Grain Holds Steady

CHICAGO, June 8.—(P)—In the slowest trade in many weeks grain futures held about steady today, supported by short covering and a scarcity of offerings following a short-lived flurry of commission house selling at the opening. Traders showed an inclination to await further war developments and additional crop news.

Wheat closed 1/4 to 1/2 cent lower than yesterday, July \$1.50 1/2. Oats were unchanged to 1/2 cent lower, July 74 1/2 to 74 3/4. Rye was 1/4 to 1/2 cent lower, July \$1.05 to \$1.05 1/2.

Barley was unchanged to 1/2 cent lower, July \$1.18 1/2.

Chicago Livestock
CHICAGO, June 8.—(P)—(War Food Administration)—Hogs, 22,500; steady on all weights, weak to 10 cents lower on sows; and choice 180 to 270 pounds \$13.75, the top; 280

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by Drew Pearson

WASHINGTON, June 8.—White House insiders say that the president gave a great deal of thought to the timing of his permanent world peace plans.

Here are the factors which caused him to launch his plan at this particular moment:

1. The Republican convention will now have to endorse the general thesis of world cooperation or else face the charge of heading the country toward another war. If FDR waited much longer, he might have been accused of springing the plan too late for the Republicans to consider things properly prior to the meeting in Chicago, June 26.

2. FDR saw his old chief, Woodrow Wilson, wait until Europe no longer needed U. S. support to win the war, no longer needed food and relief. In contrast, the United States is at the peak of its war contribution, also at the peak of its bargaining power for peace-for-future machinery. The president decided to use that bargaining power when it had the greatest leverage.

3. Churchill's recent speech in parliament proposing world rule by the Big Powers, also helped precipitate announcement of the plan. The president some time ago accepted the Sumner Welles thesis that the little nations must play an important part in the post-war set-up and it was considered a good idea to remind Churchill of this.

4. U. S. prestige with European nations—Sweden, France, Yugoslavia, Spain, Ireland—is at a low ebb. So it was considered a good time to remind them that the USA is still a friend.

Note—One difference between Cordell Hull and Sumner Welles which led to their breakup was post-war peace planning. Welles long had argued that the time to develop the peace machinery of the world was now—before the war was over.

Mr. Hull, up until he went to Russia last fall, had informed senators that future peace machinery should be put off until after the

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Just Town Talk

A LITTLE GIRL WHO HAD ATTENDED BIBLE SCHOOL FOR THE FIRST TIME THIS YEAR WAS TELLING HER MOTHER ALL ABOUT EVERYTHING WHAT THEY DID WHAT SHE HAD LEARNED AND GIVING ALL DETAILS "I KNOW JUST HOW IT WAS" SAID THE MOTHER "IT'S A COMBINATION

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war and left entirely to the state department to decide.

Germany's Smart Choices

U. S. experts who have studied the Nazi military setup to resist invasion figure that Hitler—or whoever did the picking for him—was smart in his selection of German military leaders. Three of the best men in the German army have been given the job of combating what the Nazis know is the death thrust at Germany.

No. 1 is Field Marshal Karl von Rundstedt, considered the best strategist and over all commander in Germany. Field Marshal Erwin Rommel, immediately under him, is the best man for lightning moves and panzer tactics.

Finally, Colonel General Heinz Guderian is considered the best tank commander in the German army.

U. S. experts, who believe in looking facts in the face, classify these three as among the top military brains of Europe.

However, what size and caliber of troops they have been able to spare from the Russian front may be more important than generals.

Capitol Chaff

Crack Air Ace Major de Seversky has been doing something besides design new planes lately. He has been dancing jigs before one-legged U. S. soldiers in hospitals to show them what a one-legged man can do if he has to. Seversky had his right leg shot off in World War I, but he says it was a godsend because he was able to smuggle \$50,000 out of Russia in his wooden leg. His visits have given a lot of cheer and hope to one-legged veterans. . . . Ranking Representative Rankin of Mississippi says he has it all set so presidential electors will not vote for Roosevelt in the electoral college but pass the buck to the house of representatives where he plans to have Harry Byrd elected president. . . . Jim Farley is reported to have helped hatch the plan to have the electoral college revolt against Roosevelt. Apparently Jim did it during his soft drink migrations around the country. . . . Congratulations to Lt. Harry B. Paul Barnhart for bringing laughs to the boys in the South Pacific with his army show "Stars and Gripees". . . . Governor Willis of Kentucky is getting the reputation among Kentuckians of veering toward petticoat influence in the palace. Mrs. Willis seems to have quite a bit of influence.

Green Light for 28 Airports

The president doesn't often loosen up on funds for municipal projects these war days, but it now looks as if 28 new airports in 17 states would get the presidential green light, despite the fact that they had been stopped by the airport approval board.

If so, a group of legislators who

called on the president recently—Democratic Senator Gillette of Iowa, Republican Senator Burton of Ohio, Democratic Representative Randolph of West Virginia, Republican Representative Stevenson of Wisconsin and Tibbott of Pennsylvania—will get the credit.

The president had prepared some advance ammunition when they arrived—a letter from the war department telling of the detailing of all the airports authorized for the country. He proceeded to read it in order to discourage his callers even before they got started.

"I'm glad you brought that up, Mr. President," said Congressman Randolph of West Virginia, "because that's just the opposite of what we have here. In this case, these communities had been approached by the government and urged to build airports for war uses. The communities did not take the initiative. But when urged by the government, they then cooperated 100 per cent. Men went on personal notes to borrow the money until bond issues could be floated. Land was purchased, buildings razed, \$4,000,000 was spent by these communities. And then suddenly they find that someone in Washington has changed his mind."

Here Representative Stevenson of Wisconsin picked up the argument.

"Take the city of La Crosse," he said. "The people of La Crosse went to extreme lengths to cooperate with the government. They condemned land and actually forced families to move from 40 parcels of land in order to clear the airport site. And when a school refused to move, the people of La Crosse got the Wisconsin legislature to pass a new law making it possible to condemn the schoolhouse."

"Then, after all this trouble—after tearing down buildings, and when the contractor had all his machinery on the spot ready to start—your order of March 9 comes through, ruling that the airport is not a military necessity."

"Yes," interrupted Senator Burton of Ohio, "your ruling had the effect of saying that those communities which had put their shoulders in the ground could go ahead with their airports, while those with shovels suspended in mid-air could not."

The president agreed that his order had been too strict in differentiating between airports that had already started work and those with their land all ready to start. Meanwhile, Representative Stevenson went on to tell about the La Crosse project and how only a few weeks ago an army bomber, enroute from Minneapolis to Chicago, was forced down on

Looking Backward

Forty Years Ago

E. J. Martin, general freight and passenger agent of the A. and A. P. railway, of San Antonio, Texas, has written to Secretary J. R. Rippey, asking for space in which to make a large display of Texas products at the approaching Missouri State Fair.

The county court has granted a dramshop license to Frank McAllister, of the Opera House bar.

Burglars made an ineffectual attempt to gain an entrance to Mrs. H. L. LaFlesh's apartments, over Bard's Ohio street drug store, at 2 o'clock yesterday morning.

W. F. Keyser, secretary of the Missouri Bankers' association, the headquarters of which has been removed from Butler to Sedalia, is here, and has leased a suite of rooms for office purposes in the Hoffman building, at Fifth and Ohio streets. Mr. Keyser is a single man, and his home was formerly at Windsor.

Prof. L. E. Friemel and two members of his orchestra went to Warrensburg this morning to furnish the music for a social function there this afternoon.

what was to have been the airport and nearly wrecked.

"A colonel had to come up from Madison, Wis., to get the plane out," Stevenson said.

"Only a colonel?" interrupted the president. "And after I've signed so many commissions for major generals, I'll bet he was a major general by the time he got back to Madison."

In the end, the president seemed much impressed.

It would seem that the government has a moral obligation to the people who have done all this work," he said and promised to re-examine the whole matter.

Word has since leaked out of the White House that the result probably will be a green light for the following 28 airports: Alturas, Calif.; Winter Haven, Fla.; Decatur, Quincy and Springfield, Ill.; Dubuque and Waterloo, Iowa; Lawrence, Mass.; Pellston, Mich.; Bemidji and Duluth, Minn.; Dansville, N. Y.; Springfield, Mo.; Greensboro, N. C.; Jamestown, N. D.; Canton, Mansfield and Springfield, Ohio; Johnstown and Wilkes Barre, Pa.; Denton and Georgetown, Texas; Danville, Va.; Martinsburg, Parkersburg, Wheeling and Wiley Ford, W. Va.; and La Crosse, Wis.

Murder Charge In Harlan Death

BOONVILLE, Mo., June 8.—(P)—A charge of first degree murder has been filed against H. E. Arnold, 60, Boonville, in the death of Dr. H. L. Harlan, 75, Prosecutor T. G. Woolsey said Wednesday.

Dr. Harlan, a dentist in Boonville for 38 years, died Tuesday morning following an altercation with Arnold on a Boonville street Monday afternoon, the prosecutor said.

Dr. Harlan fell to the pavement, Woolsey said, and suffered a brain injury.

An argument over a lawsuit in which a judgment for Dr. Harlan against Arnold was entered, led to the fight, witnesses declared. Two police officers testified that Arnold had been drinking and was intoxicated when he met Dr. Harlan. After hearing evidence this afternoon, a coroner's jury found

Wounded By Rifle Bullet

William Rimel, 21, of 1725 South Carr avenue, suffered a wound in the right leg shortly before 7 o'clock Wednesday evening when a .22 calibre rifle was discharged accidentally as he was loading it while standing near the Flat Creek bridge on south highway 65.

He was brought to the Bothwell hospital by Mrs. Gladys Flowers, owner of Flat Creek Inn, and treatment and tetanus antitoxin were administered by Dr. J. W. Boger. Rimel was dismissed to return to his home.

He worked at the Missouri Pacific shops during the day and with a friend rode to Flat Creek on bicycles and set out fishing lines. They had brought along the rifle and Rimel was loading it when the accident occurred.

The bullet entered the inner surface and emerged through the outer surface of the calf of his leg. His condition is not considered serious.

that Dr. Harlan's death had been due to a head injury received in a fall on a sidewalk and that Arnold had been responsible for the fall.

Lions Club in Business Session

The Lions club met Wednesday at the Hildebrandt cafe, St. Francis hotel, with Milton Overstreet, president presiding.

The meeting was devoted to business relative to installation of officers which will be June 28. J. E. Smith and Cline Cain will be the installing officers with Sam Highleyman the third member of the committee.

Visitors at today's meeting were Staff Sgt. Russell Conn, guest of his father, Roy Conn, and H. E. Engle, guest of Sam Highleyman.

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GRATITUDE

D-DAY was the most critical day of our generation. We are deeply indebted to the press, radio, and newsreels which, since the beginning of the invasion have kept us fully informed as to the movements of the Allied forces.

This, the greatest achievement in the gathering and dissemination of information ever recorded, makes us realize what our men faced when they landed, and more fully understand the depth of our obligation as individuals and organizations in backing up our armed forces.

Our prayers are with all who are participating in the liberation of Europe, and our sympathy goes out to the families of those who have made the supreme sacrifice.

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The real-life adventures of a society girl who goes to work in a war plant.

FACTORY

LUNCH hour, 11 to 11:30, is a pleasant interlude. At lunch hour, most all of Kerry Kraft picks up its paper bags or lunch boxes and goes outdoors. In front of the plant you can sit on the curbstone that separates street from "lawn"; in back you can go across the field past "Receiving"—a separate building—and sit on empty packing crates. There's a 50-yard strip of field and then the fence. Behind the fence there are woods, and Eunice, Gert and I have staked out our claim to a certain packing case just in the edge of the trees' shade.

There are a number of small unchanging lunch groups all around us—mostly men, a few mixed company, and perhaps a dozen clumps of girls. On hot days the men take off their shirts and lie in the sun, the girls pull their slacks up over their knees, which causes a good deal of dutiful whistling and shouting of wisecracks.

Gert, Jennie and I dress unglamorously in cotton blouses and blue slacks; so do a good many others, but the majority agree with Babs that a girl wants to look nice, so they wear alarming "pajama suits," bright yellow, pale pink, gorgeously flowered. All the girls wear makeup and keep it constantly touched up, and I discovered recently that Gert had been quite troubled about me because I didn't renew my lipstick with sufficient frequency.

"That's the first thing I noticed about you, Annie," she told me, in a talk as intimate as a Lifebuoy ad; she had figured that up where I came from maybe girls let themselves go like that, but, just the same, it made her a little uncomfortable. I agreed to reform.

"When in Rome . . ." I said unthinkingly. "Rome" said Gert. "Where's that at?"

"How's things?" "How ya doin'?" these are the forms of greeting; "So long," "Be seen" ya, and "Well, take it easy," the words of parting. To catch the attention of anyone at a distance you yell, not "Hey" or "Hi," but "Yo." "Yo, Bill! Yo, Annie! Yo, youse guys!"



"Because of that there sign, sister—if you can read."

Paper Mill was that on the door of the Ladies' Room it said "Women." The word has some derogatory implication; when I asked, "Who is that woman?" Nell corrected me, "That there lady?"

Eunice works across the aisle, in Bench. "Tap-tap, tap-tap, tap-tap" goes her hammer. She is amazingly quick, far defter than I would be. They make metal objects, half an oval in shape and perhaps 10 inches long, which are "nose-ribs." The nose-ribs, when finished, have to be stamped with

a small die which is hit with a hammer. Eunice trots around stamping everyone's for them—for some reason she likes to do it. Since she is probably five times as fast as I am, I get her to do my inspection stamping and in return I do her filing, because it makes her "blood go goose-pimples."

EVERYONE eats more or less perpetually: sandwiches (always one at the "five-minutes"), pretzels, candy bars. Everything is passed around to one's immediate neighbors, and it is difficult to refuse without giving offense. Almost everyone chews gum steadily; brilliant posters in the cafeteria tell us that gum steadies our nerves and helps the war effort. Perhaps so with some, with me it decidedly hinders any effort of any kind other than that of chewing. I try in vain to copy the calm rhythm of my fellows, but gum-chewing is, for me, an occupation to which one gives heart and soul and body, all one's faculties and all one's energies. So, at risk of offending, I generally refuse, and this is accepted along with my other idiosyncrasies.

We climb up onto our packing case at lunch time, Eunice, Gert and I. We each have two sandwiches and an apple or an orange. Eunice and Gert have grabbed bottles of soda from the wagon; I have coffee. Half an hour is longer than you think; we finish eating and stroll over to a "smoking section." That is the only drawback to our packing case: it is in a "restricted area." Why? What makes that edge of the field more inflammable than another part? No one knows. "Why aren't you allowed to smoke here?" I asked a guard. He looked at me pityingly. "Because of that there sign, sister—if you can read."

Eunice knows a girl whose "honey" is a Lead-man on one of the assembly lines. She has told him my heart is over there with the rivet-guns and drill-motors and assures me that everything is "in the groove," that he's going to help me get my transfer.

To Be Continued

Ras Tonsils Removed
Mary Sue Lockney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Lockney, of Houstonia underwent an operation for the removal of her tonsils and adenoids Wednesday.

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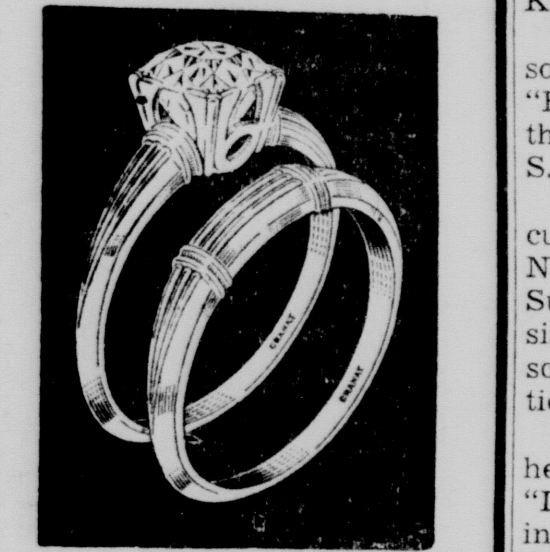
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Capt. Lillyman Assigned to Blaze Trail

His 48th Jump, But First Into Battle

By Howard Cowan

A U. S. PARACHUTE CARRIER BASE, June 8.—(P)—Capt. Frank Lillyman, the first Allied soldier to touch France in the assault from the west, didn't know when the invasion would come but he had been informed days in advance that whenever it came he would draw the No. 1 spot.

The cigar smoking 29-year-old parachute troop officer from Syracuse, N. Y., was told of his trail blazing assignment along with Lt. Col. J. L. Crouch, Riverside, Calif., and their hand-picked crews. Crouch was the pilot of the big Douglas C-47 which was the lead plane of the parachute troop carriers.

They all trained together with secret equipment which permitted pin point precision landings so they could direct other parachute troops and gliders to the "DZ"—Dropping Zone. The parachute troops carriers went in by the light of the moon before the assault on the French coast from the sea. (A dispatch from the combat transport USS Barnett said that Capt. Leonard T. Schroeder, 25, of Baltimore, Md., may have been the first man to reach the French beach from the sea.)

(Schroeder was the commander of the infantry company in the first assault boat which arrived on the beach within fewer than 60 seconds of H-hour Tuesday morning.)

Accompanied by Ten Lean faced Lillyman, who only weighs 140 pounds, was accompanied by 10 soldiers, all of them specialists in scouting, demolition, first aid and gunnery.

It was Lillyman's 48th jump, but his first into battle. As on the preceding 47 leaps he clenched a lighted cigar between his teeth. "It's just a pet superstition," he told me shortly after he and the crew were isolated in preparation for the big event. "I never got burned but once. I swallowed the end of one once. When I don't get enough stogies from my ration (12 weekly) I have spares from home. My wife sends 'em."

"Dad didn't like it much when I went in the paratroops—that was back in April of '42 at Ft. Benning. He was an old horse cavalry man in the regular army."

His father, the late Maj. Frank G. Lillyman, died March, 1943, in an army hospital at Leavenworth, Kas. He lived at Crocker, Mo. "Dad was an honest to goodness soldier of fortune," Lillyman said. "He served in the Argentine navy, the Brazilian cavalry and the U. S. navy and army."

Lillyman served for a time as a cub reporter on two Binghamton, N. Y., newspapers, the Press and Sun, and he said his work consisted of "writing sports and high school news and helping out election nights."

"But before I go any further," he suddenly interrupted himself, "I want to tell you not to go blowing me all up for this. It was those boys with me who got the job done."

COMMUNITY NEWS from—California

By Mrs. J. E. Zey
Funeral services for J. E. Reichel, 76, farmer, who died at his home in McGirk, were held at the McGirk Baptist church, the Rev. J. S. Laws, officiating. Burial was in the McGirk cemetery. Survivors are the following seven sons and a daughter: Homer Reichel, Council Bluffs, Ia.; Oscar Reichel, California, Mo.; Clarence Reichel, McGirk; Victor Reichel, California, Mo.; Archie Reichel, Booneville; Walter Reichel, California, Mo.; Pct. Lloyd Reichel, Camp Campbell, Ky.; and Mrs. Edna Scott, Sedalia.

Funeral services for Mrs. Sedona Hulda Owens, wife of J. Frank Owens, 70, who died at her home in California, Mo., were held at the Baptist church in California, the Rev. J. S. Laws officiating. Burial was in the city cemetery. Survivors are her husband and the following three daughters and son: Mrs. Aubrey Simmons, St. Louis; Mrs. Lloyd Voight and Mrs. Clarence Pummil, California, Mo.; and Herbert Owens, St. Louis. The following brothers and sisters also survive: Paul and Bruno Schieber, Jefferson City; Mrs. Will Wagner and Mrs. Fred Hunziker, Centertown; and Mrs. J. K. Anderson, Vallejo, Calif.

Funeral services for George William Voight, 88, who died at his home near Jamestown, were held at Union Baptist church, the Rev. Ivan Dameron officiating. Burial was in the church cemetery. He was a member of the Evangelical church. Survivors are the following children: Robert Voight, Jamestown; Mrs. William Wiseman, Windsor; Mrs. B. H.

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In the Service

Mrs. James L. Smallwood, 901 South Moniteau avenue, has received word of the safe arrival of her husband, Pvt. James L. Smallwood, in New Guinea. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Smallwood, 506 East Tenth street.

T/Sgt. Jesse A. Pruitt received his promotion to that rank last week upon his transfer from Jefferson Barracks to Decatur, Ill. Mrs. Pruitt is with her husband. A Sedalia, he lived at 620 East Eleventh street before his induction into armed service.

Pvt. Shelby F. Pirtle, who is in the hospital at Camp Fannin, Texas, where he is receiving medical treatment, has written the Sedalia Democrat that his sister, Mrs. Merle Allcorn, 1500 East Twelfth street, sends him the paper and that it is a wonderful gift. He writes: "No body knows how much I enjoy it. I soak up every word in it."

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cooper of Kansas City have received a letter from their son, Charles Ray telling of his promotion from seaman 1/c to petty officer's rating of aviation machinist mate 3/c. He has been stationed aboard an aircraft carrier since August 1943 and states that he has been seeing plenty of action.

He wrote that he had received several copies of the Sedalia Democrat-Capitol from a friend, Junior DeWan of Smithton, who is also in the navy and stationed somewhere in the general area. He said it was certainly good to see a copy of the home town paper again.

In telling of the different types of entertainment aboard ship he said they have a splendid band which plays every evening, motion pictures nearly every night and said that he played in a basketball tournament.

Pierce, Kansas City; Henry Voight, California; Mrs. Charles Geier and Charley Voight, Jamestown; Miss Lelia Voight of the home; Mrs. J. W. Willis, Caseyville, Ill.; Mrs. Clarence Chenault, Peculiar Mrs. E. L. Harrel, Kansas City; Gordon Voight, Sedalia; and George Voight, St. Louis.

Mrs. John Yoest of St. Charles visited relatives and friends here over the week-end.

Mrs. John English, III, and small daughter came from Lexington Monday to be guests of Mrs. T. G. Ehrhardt and Mr. and Mrs. John English.

Mrs. Ruth Byler Lytle and daughter, Judy, have returned from Fredericktown, where they visited Dr. Lytle's parents, Capt. Lytle is in New Guinea.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Robertson and daughter have arrived from Portland, Ore., to visit his parents, Judge and Mrs. J. S. Robertson.

Mr. and Mrs. John Braden and daughter and Mrs. A. F. Orr of St. Louis arrived Thursday to attend the funeral of an aunt at Pilot Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Lemon and small son, Richard, are visiting relatives in Paola, Kas.

Mrs. Ed Taylor left Monday for her home in Leakey, Tex., after being called here by the death of her brother, Albert Holzer.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Ennis of Kansas City were here over the week-end to visit his mother, Mrs. T. E. Ennis.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Rau of St. Louis have returned to their home after visiting relatives here.

Miss Dorothy Gattermier of St. Louis visited over the week-end with her mother, Mrs. H. E. Gattermier.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Dwight and son, Carl Kay, of Columbia, visited friends here over the week-end.

Mrs. Riley Reed has returned to Ashaway, R. I., after visiting at the home of Judge and Mrs. W. G. Heibredner the past two weeks.

Sedalian's Nephew Killed in Action

Mrs. Ray Atwood, 1005 South Missouri avenue, has received word from her sister-in-law, Mrs. James Gathor of Alton, Ill., telling of the death of her son, Joe Gathor, who was killed in action on May 28. Mrs. Gathor had received a letter from him telling her he was coming home. She hadn't heard any more from him but thought he was on his way home when she was notified by the government of his death.

Mrs. Gathor is the mother of fourteen children. She has three other sons in service, Melvin, and Eugene stationed in the South Pacific and John in Texas. Her oldest son, James, was killed in an accident on a grocery truck several years ago and she had one daughter, Ethel, now deceased.

St. Louis 'U' To Get Legacy

CHICAGO, June 8.—(P)—St. Louis university will receive the \$1,250,000 set aside in the will of the late Henry Edwin Sever for the establishment of an institute of technology in Missouri. Superior Judge Joseph A. Graber said yesterday.

Judge Graber's decree would compel trustees for the publisher's estate to fulfill the specifications of the will as interpreted by a special committee March 27. Judge Garber said the decree would be signed Monday.

Two members of the special committee had concurred in selection of St. Louis university for the new school, while the third member had offered the University of Missouri, Columbia; Washington university, St. Louis; or the University of Kansas City as possible sites.

Dr. James B. Macelwane, director of St. Louis university's geophysics department, is expected to head the new school.

Mountain's Moisture Varies
In 1884, 90 inches of rain and melted snow fell on Mount Hamilton, Calif.; in 1885, only 18 inches of moisture fell at the same place.

of Kansas City were guests over the week-end of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Pennington.

Mrs. Sallie Meyer celebrated her 82nd birthday anniversary at her home recently. She has been confined to her bed since suffering a stroke about two weeks ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Stuart and son, Jimmy, spent the Decoration holiday with Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Morrow at their resort at Boylers Mill near Stover.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kruse of McGirk were week-end guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Kruse.

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Ask Inquiry of Demotion Case

WASHINGTON, June 8.—(P)—A senatorial investigation was proposed today by Senator Chandler (D-Ky) into the army-reported incident of Major General Henry J. F. Miller being demoted to lieutenant colonel and sent home from England because he talked in advance at a cocktail party about the invasion date.

Chandler told a reporter he would ask the military affairs committee today to request a report on the case from the war department.

"That is one of the most serious things an officer could do," the senator declared. "Thousands of lives depended on keeping that date secret. I think the committee ought to know all of the circumstances of the case."

The officer, who was not named in the original London reports, was said yesterday by the war department to be Miller, 51-year-old former cavalryman who was one of the commanding generals of the U. S. air force. He had a record of 33 years of honorable service.

He was disciplined by Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower after he was reported to have said in the presence of several persons: "On my honor, the invasion will take place before June 15."

Mississippi Follows Texas' Example

By Jack Bell
Associated Press Staff Writer

The south hoisted new Democratic storm signals today with Mississippi joining the ranks of states determined to commit the party to a stand for "white supremacy" and Georgia Democrats barring Negroes from their July 4 primary.

Following almost exactly a pattern set previously by Texas Democrats, the anti-administration controlled Mississippi convention voted yesterday to instruct the party's 12 electors in the state to reject the Democratic presidential nominee unless the national convention meets certain demands.

Lion Club Members Enjoy Picnic Tuesday
The Lions club held a picnic Tuesday evening at the cabin of Charles Maggard near Valda with twenty-five couples attending. A steak fry and picnic supper was enjoyed after which the evening was spent around the camp fire.

The committee in charge was composed of Sam Highleyman, J. K. Kidd, Jr., Al Gardner and Charles Maggard.

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Society

Miss LaVonne Wright, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Wright, 1500 West Broadway, who completed her freshman year recently at Sweet Briar college, Sweet Briar, Va., will arrive Saturday from Jacksonville, Fla., where she has been visiting her roommate, Miss Cecil Butler for the last ten days.

Miss Wright will leave June 16 for Pin Oak Scout camp at Kaiser, Mo., where she will be a counsellor for the camp period that extends to July 19 and then will spend the rest of the summer in Sedalia.

Mrs. Lewis Prosser of Kansas City, Mrs. Raymond Steinkamp, Mrs. Lawrence Olson and Miss Kathryn Schaible of Kansas City, Kas., are house guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Donlon and daughter, Miss Virginia Donlon, 720 West Fifth street. They were guests of Mrs. Donlon at the ladies day luncheon at the Sedalia Country club Wednesday.

The Sedalia Officers Wives club will meet in Dining Room B of the Officers club at the Sedalia Army Air Field, Tuesday, June 13, at 1:30 p. m.

Wives and relatives of officers of the SAAF are cordially invited to attend.

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LEE CORN FLAKES	Stay crisp longer	3 pkgs	21¢
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APPLE JUICE	Delightful when served chilled	Qt.	24¢
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LEE OATS	Large tender white flakes	large box	22¢
BLEACHED RAISINS	For all kinds of cooking	lb.	17¢
LEE STUFFED OLIVES	Very appetizing	No. 5 Jar.	33¢
VEGETABLE V-8 COCKTAIL	Healthful and good for you.....	No. 2 can	13¢
GOLD MEDAL FLOUR	All purpose Kitchen tested	25-lb. bag	\$1.19
LEE MATCHES	First Grade.....	6 boxes	25¢
PLUM JAM	An economical Spread	2 lb. Jar	44¢
CERTO PECTIN	For finer Jellies and Jams	2 bottles	49¢
LEE PRUNE PLUMS	A wonderful Dessert.....	29-oz. Jar	30¢

Choice Meats			
Beef Roast	Oven AA	lb.	28¢
Sausage	Warnsburg Smoked	lb.	39¢
Bacon	Armour's Star	lb.	39¢
Pork Roast	Loan End	lb.	29¢
Hot Tamales		10 1/2 ozs.	22¢

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Beef Point Values for June

BEEF	Points per lb.	FATS, OILS, AND DAIRY PRODUCTS	Points per lb.
STEAKS*		SHORTENING	0
Porterhouse	12	SALAD and Cooking Oils*	0
T-Bone	12	MARGARINE	2
Club	12	BUTTER	
Rib—10-inch cut	8	Creamery butter	12
Rib—7-inch cut	9	Farm or country butter	8
Sirloin	11	Process butter	4
Sirloin—boneless	13		
Round (full cut)	13	CANNED MILK, including	1/2†
Top Round	13	Evaporated or condensed milk	
Bottom Round	13	CHEESES—Group I.	
Round Tip	13	Cheddar, Colby, washed curd, soaked curd, and whole or skimmed milk cheeses of those types	10†
Chuck (blade or arm)	5†	All products containing 30% or more of the above types of cheese (†Gruel dehydrated cheese is included from Group I)	10†
Flank	0†	CHEESES—Group II.	
		Cream cheese	10†
ROASTS*		Neufchâtel cheese	10†
Rib—standing (chine bone on) 10-inch cut	7	Creamed cottage cheese (containing more than 5% butterfat)	10†
Rib—standing (chine bone on) 7-inch cut	8	Cream spread***	10†
Round Tip	11	CHEESES—Group III.	
Rump—bone in	7	All other rationed cheeses	10†
Rump—boneless	11	Examples of rationed cheeses in Group III are: Swiss, Italian, Muenster, Limburger, Camembert, Liederkorn, Gruyere, Colby, and others.	
Chuck (blade or arm)—bone in	5†		
Chuck or Shoulder—boneless	6†		
English Cut	5†		

*Includes only cuts of AA, A, B, and C Grades (excluding stags and bulls).

To find the point value of an item of prepackaged cheese, get the weight from the label and its cheese group number above. Follow the line in the table for that cheese group to the weight column which includes the weight of the item. That number is its point value.

To find the point value of an item of canned milk, get its weight from the label. Follow the line for that item to the weight column which includes its weight. That number is its point value.

When two or more prepackaged cheese or canned milk items are purchased together, add the point values of each individual item. A full point must be given up for any fraction resulting from this addition.

Rationed cheese includes natural cheese and any products containing 30% or more by weight of natural cheese. They do not include cottage cheese, creamed cottage cheese containing 5% or less butterfat, whey products, cheese which do not contain any cow's milk solids, or dried-dehydrated cheese (weighing not more than 1½ ounces when packaged in combination dinners with tomato spaghetti sauce).

†INDICATES NEW ITEM OR POINT VALUE CHANGE FROM TABLE NO. 24.

June point values for beef, now the only rationed meat, and for fats, oils and dairy products, and listed above, are effective from June 4th through July 1st.

Tips On Kitchen Work For The June Bride

By GAYNOR MADDOX
NEA Staff Writer

When the wedding bells stop ringing the dinner bell starts. It's a wise June bride who knows the basic facts about food. Here is a little series of questions and answers that will make her kitchen hours smoother.

Q. Is it necessary to soak kidneys in salt water before they are cooked?

A. No, just wash them thoroughly before removing the membrane.

Q. Should the skin be removed from liver before it is cooked?

A. Removing the skin from liver, particularly beef liver, makes it a little more tender and prevents sliced liver from curling.

Q. Should liver be washed before it is cooked?

A. No. Washing sliced liver will cause a loss of the water-soluble minerals and vitamins.

Q. Is it necessary to cut the edges of a ham slice, before it is broiled, to keep the edges from curling?

A. No. If the ham slice is cooked at a low temperature, the edges will not curl.

Q. When using lard in recipes which call for other fats, do any changes in the amount of fat specified need to be made?

A. Since lard has greater shortening power, it is possible to re-

duce the amount of fat approximately one-fourth when lard is used.

Q. Can lard be used for deep fat frying?

A. Yes. No food needs to be fried at a temperature above 375 degrees and most foods may be fried at even a lower temperature—around 350 degrees. Lards on the market today may safely be heated to 375 degrees.

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ICED COFFEE HERALDS SUMMER

By Gaynor Maddox
NEA Staff Writer

Hot days seem to call for tall glasses of iced coffee. To get the best results pour fresh, hot double-strength coffee right over ice cubes! Make the hot coffee by your favorite method, taking all your usual precautions of measuring coffee and water accurately into a very clean pot. Use 4 level tablespoons of coffee for each cup of water. Pour the hot, freshly-made coffee into tall glasses filled with ice. The double-strength coffee will make up for the dilution caused by the melting ice.

Sometimes it's not convenient to make iced coffee by the above method. In some cases it may be necessary for you to pour pre-cooled coffee over the ice cubes. In that case, make regular-strength coffee, using 2 level tablespoons for every cup of water. When coffee is made, pour it into a tightly-covered glass jar, cool, and place it in the refrigerator. To serve, pour the cold coffee into tall glasses half filled with ice.

If you like coffee flavor, here's a treat.

Coffee Parfait

Two-thirds cup evaporated milk, 1½ teaspoons unflavored gelatin, 1 cup strong coffee, ½ cup sugar, ¼ teaspoon salt, 2 egg whites, well beaten.

Chill evaporated milk several hours in the refrigerator. Soften gelatin in ¼ cup cold coffee. Heat remainder of coffee, and stir into gelatin. Add sugar and salt, stir until dissolved, and chill in refrigerator until syrupy. Fold into beaten egg whites, and beat well. Whip evaporated milk and fold into mixture. Pour into quart refrigerator tray, and freeze until set. Remove from tray to bowl, beat well, and return to tray to finish freezing. Yield: 1 quart. (If ice cream is not to be served as soon as frozen, remove tray to upper shelf in freezing compartment where temperature is not so low. This prevents ice crystals.)

WASTE FAT DRIVE NOW IN HIGH GEAR

Housewives Contribute Regularly — Pick-up Service Helps Dealers

Saving waste fats and greases apparently has become an almost automatic procedure among housewives, according to officials of the Standard Rendering Company, Kansas City, Missouri, a primary collector in this area. A constant flow of this vital material moves each week from the kitchens to meat dealers and other collectors and on to rendering plants, these officials say.

This volume has enabled the Standard Rendering Company to provide improved collection service to meat dealers and others with stocks on hand. Dealers now are authorized to ship direct by express, collect, or may ask for pick-up by Standard Rendering Company trucks. For information address: Standard Rendering Company, 635 Adams, Kansas City, Kansas, or phone HARRISON 1545. —Adv.



Serve Hot Cherry Bounce for gala June meals.

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MENU
BREAKFAST: Stewed rhubarb, scrambled eggs, whole wheat toast, butter or fortified margarine, malted, coffee, milk.
LUNCHEON: Tomatoes stuffed with cottage cheese, hot bacon sandwiches, peanut cookies, tea, iced cocoa.
DINNER: Sautéed veal chops with brown gravy, new potatoes, green peas, mixed green salad, enriched bread, butter or fortified

Menu
Breakfast: Stewed prunes, whole wheat flakes, cornmeal mush with honey, coffee, milk.
Lunch: Bacon waffles, syrup, margarine, coffee parfait, coffee, milk.

half grapefruit iced tea, iced cocoa.

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Before you start that dirty job—in factory or at home—use O-CEDAR HAND GUARD. Smooth this amazing new protective cream over arms, hands, around fingernails before work. After work, rinse off in plain water and mazel at your clean, smooth hands and cuticle. Not a trace of grease, grime, paint or oils.

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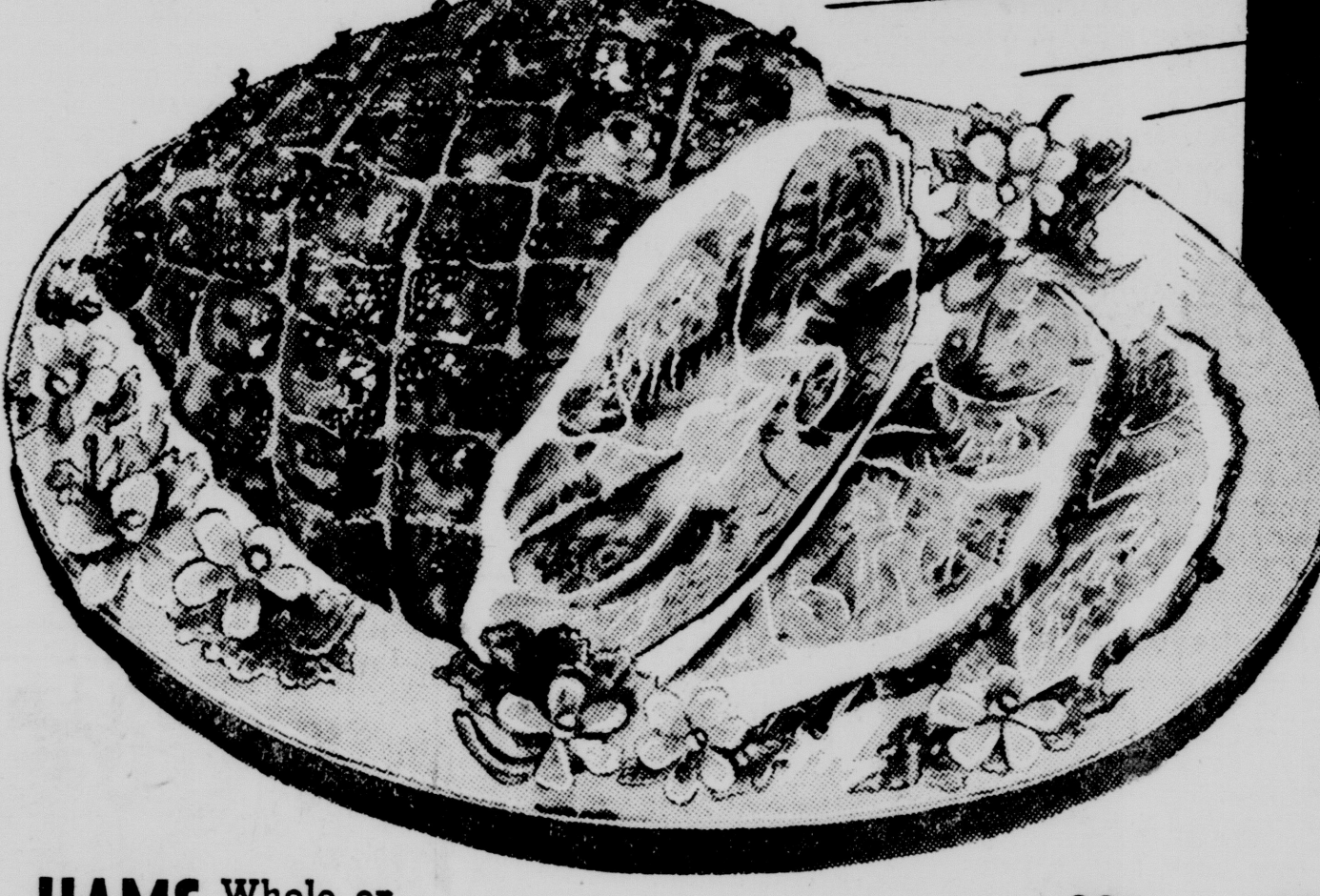
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Make Your House-cleaning Easier with
VAN BRITE Liquid Wax

"Won't Water Spot"
You, too, can have bright sparkling floors if you use Van Brite Self-Polishing Liquid Wax. It's easy to use, and it dries with a luster without rubbing, and it "won't water spot."



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SAFEWAY HOT WEATHER FOODS



HAMS

These delicious hams are ideal for serving these warm days. Prepared in advance and served cold they "hit the spot" with the family appetite, and save you time for your victory garden!

HAMS Whole or Butt Half lb. 33¢
PORK ROAST Loin End lb. 25¢
PORK ROAST Shoulder lb. 27¢ Fresh Ham lb. 32¢
FRANKFURTERS Swift Premium lb. 32¢

HAMS Center Slices lb. 47¢
LINK SAUSAGE Small Link lb. 37¢
SPARE RIBS lb. 21¢
BACON Wilson Certified By The Piece lb. 29¢

Compare SAFEWAY Low Prices

DUCHESSE SALAD DRESSING Pint Jar 23¢
KRAFT FRENCH DRESSING 8oz. bottle 15¢
PEN JEL box 12¢
FRUIT JARS Quart Size Doz. 69¢
JAR RUBBERS doz. 5¢
KERR LIDS Doz. 10¢
MASON ZINC CAPS Doz. 21¢
AIRWAY COFFEE 3 lb. bag 59¢
TOWN HOUSE GRAPEFRUIT JUICE 46-oz. Can 30¢

THE "GOOD" IN Good Morning EDWARDS COFFEE
THE FLAVOR IS VACUUM PACKED IN GLASS lb. 28¢

IMPERIAL CLEANER Gal. Bottle 79¢
WHEATIES 12-oz. Pkg. 14¢
N. B. C. SHREDDED WHEAT Box 12¢
KIX Pkg. 11¢
SPAM 12-oz. Can 34¢
TREAT 12-oz. can 33¢
KITCHEN CRAFT FLOUR 24-lb. bag \$1.15
BLUE KARO 5-lb. Jar 35¢
HERSHEY COCOA ½-lb. 10¢
CANTERBURY BLACK TEA ¼-lb. box 22¢
C & H CANE SUGAR 5-lb. bag 33¢
CRISCO 3-lb. jar 68¢
SOAP Palmolive—Reg. Size 3 bars 20¢

Green Beans Lb. 15¢

ONIONS Yellow 3 lbs. 10¢
HEAD LETTUCE lb. 13¢
POTATOES California Shafter 5 lbs. 25¢
CARROTS Clip Tops lb. 7¢
SQUASH White or Yellow lb. 12¢

RINSO Large Size Box 23¢	TOILET SOAP Ivory Guest Size 2 bars 9¢	IVORY SNOW Large Size Box 23¢
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BREAD JULIA LEE WRIGHT'S WHITE OR WHEAT 3 Big 20-oz. LOAVES 25¢

Peas Gardenside No. 2 can 12¢	Corn Country Home Cream style No. 2 can 12¢
Tomatoes Highway No. 2 can 11¢	Prunes Sunsweet 2-lb. box 31¢
Spinach Emerald Bay No. 2½ can 18¢	Raisins Sun-Maid 15-oz. box 15¢

RATION INFORMATION
Blue Stamps, 8A through 8V, now good for 10 points indefinitely.
Red Stamps, 8A through 8W, now good for 10 points each indefinitely.
Sugar Stamps—Nos. 30 and 31, good for 5 pounds indefinitely; No. 40 good for 5 pounds through February 28, 1945.
STORE HOURS: 8 A. M. to 6 P. M. — SATURDAYS 8 A. M. to 8 P. M.

Make CLOROX CLEANLINESS a basic step in even your busiest house cleaning schedule!

- ✓ Clean Refrigerator
- ✓ Clean Drainboard
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- ✓ Mop Kitchen Floor
- ✓ Disinfect Garbage Can
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WHY TAKE CHANCES!
"When it's CLOROX-CLEAN it's hygienically clean!"

DURING these busy days it is often necessary to cut corners in housework. On such days it is always well to remember that it's safer to skip the less important jobs than to neglect a basic sanitary step that provides Greater Home Health Protection. Clorox is the easy, efficient way to sanitary home cleansing... it's a basic step in home hygiene. And today, Clorox-Cleanliness is more important than ever, because there are fewer civilian doctors. Clorox has intensified germicidal efficiency; it also deodorizes, removes stains in routine

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AMERICA'S FAVORITE BLEACH AND HOUSEHOLD DISINFECTANT

CLOROX
FREE FROM CAUSTIC

Disinfects
DEODORIZES BLEACHES
REMOVES STAINS



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I-Announcements

2-Card of Thanks

GIVENS: EMMETT—We wish to thank our minister, relatives, friends, and neighbors for their kind expressions of sympathy during the loss of our beloved husband, father and grandfather. Mrs. Bonnie Givens. Mr. and Mrs. Willard Wilson and children.

7-Personals

MAY HAVE DIRT if will haul away. 301 East 7th.

WILL TAKE PIANO for storage. Good care. 1415 West 5th.

WANTED TO RENT: Baby bed for one month. Phone 3317.

SUBSCRIBE to the Kansas City Star, delivered twice daily Phone 2405

DRUNKARD LOSES JOB and home. Give Guis secretly. Star Drug.

WATKINS DEALER:—Mail orders, Hutchinson's 804 West Third. Powell Cain.

BEGINNING SATURDAY JUNE 10th—my Office will be closed every Saturday until further notice. Dr. Carlisle Taylor, Dentist. 106 1/2 West 5th Street.

PROTECT YOUR GARDEN — from insects. Cryolite dust will do it. J. C. Thomas, Watkins dealer, Route 5, Sedalia, Northeast Missouri Pacific Shops.

10—Strayed, Lost, Found
LOST—Boy Scout sleeping bag, Friday afternoon, Claude Lambirth, phone 3491. Reward.

\$10 REWARD — for information leading to return of black and white English Shepherd female dog. 4 white paws, white ring around neck, white tip on tail. Phone 3731-W or 676.

II—Automotive

11—Automobiles for Sale

1936 OLDSMOBILE sedan, good condition. Phone 2919.

1930 PONTIAC coach. 417 North Quincy after 5:30 p. m.

GOOD USED CARS—15th and Ohio. Archie Decker.

1937 DODGE pickup. Good condition. Mrs. Emery Brown, Green Ridge, Missouri.

1941 FORD TOWN SEDAN—1940 Chevrolet Business coupe, Master De Luxe. 1937 Chevrolet pickup. 1935 Chevrolet 4 door Sedan. 1936 Chevrolet coach. 1936 Chevrolet Coupe. 1930 Model A Ford. 1932 Chevrolet Coach. 1419 South Limit or 65 Highway. Phone 4216 or 4166. Mike Donahoe.

16-Repairing—Service Stations

NEW TIRES—tire and battery service, cleaners, napha. Phillips Service Station, 7th and Ohio, phone 3282.

17-Wanted Automotive

WANTED—late model car. Phone 2196.

III—Business Service

18—Business Services Offered

TIRE REPAIR mechanic. Work guaranteed. 206 East Main.

PEABODY RADIO SERVICE for twenty years at 1319 S. Osage Phone 854.

SEWING MACHINE SERVICE—Adjusting, repair all makes. 225 South Kentucky.

FLOOR SANDER and edger for rent by the day. Phone 123. Firestone Stores.

WILL GRIND LAWNMOWERS—with electric machine. 703 Lafayette. Phone 3667.

PURLEY ELECTRIC COMPANY—contracting, house wiring, motor repair service. 220 West 4th. Phone 104.

WASHER, VACUUM CLEANER SERVICE, parts, wringer rolls, dust bags, all makes. Burkholder Maytag, 109 Ohio. Phone 114.

MACHINE WORK—Prompt service, reasonable prices. Wholesale Auto Parts, Sedalia, Missouri, Homer Hall, 205 South Osage Phone 766.

PERMANENT WAVES—Machine \$3.00 up. Machineless \$4.50 up. Cold waves \$10.00 up. Only standard supplies used. May-Belle Beauty Shop, 122 1/2 West 3rd. Phone 824.

HAVE YOUR old mattresses made over into a fine renovated and recovered mattress, at a very low cost. Feather mattresses made from your feather beds. Bryan-Paulus Awning Company Phone 131.

SINGER — New Singer electric sewing machines for rent. All makes of sewing machines repaired. We buy used machines. New machines for sale. A Singer representative is in Sedalia regularly. Write Singer Sewing Machine Company, 106 East High, Jefferson City, Missouri.

RALPH STUART AUCTIONEER
I Sell Everything at
PUBLIC AUCTION
Phone 69-F-23 Sedalia, Mo.
Reverse Charges.

19—Building and Contracting

REMODEL UP TO \$200; farms up to \$1,000. Repairs and used materials unlimited. Call Tom Ware 264.

24—Laundering

WASHINGS WANTED — 519 North Quincy or phone 3095-W

25—Moving, Trucking Storage

MIDDLETON STORAGE COMPANY—Dependable service under owner management responsibility. Storing, moving, packing and crating Lamine and Missouri Pacific tracks. Phone 946.

IV—Employment

32—Help Wanted—Female

BEAUTY OPERATOR: \$30 per week and commission. Phone 692.

IV—Employment

32—Help Wanted—Female

GIRL for general housework. No cooking. Apply 1415 West 3rd.

WAITRESSES WANTED: Apply in person. McKenzie Coffee Shop.

LADIES WANTED: Apply Dry Cleaning Department. Dorn Cloney.

WANTED: Middle-aged woman for light house work. Care for child. Phone 3478. 1020 South Kentucky.

YOUNG WOMAN over 18. Clerk and fountain. Call between 10:30 and 2 or after 4. Snyder Confectionery.

TYPIST FOR GENERAL OFFICE WORK

Modern office. Manufacturing Write box 3-B Care Democrat

WANTED MAIDS APPLY IN PERSON HOTEL ROYAL

33—Help Wanted—Male

JANITOR HELPER — wanted. Fox Theatre.

SERVICE STATION WORK—Browns Automotive Clinic, 3rd and Osage.

WANTED: YOUNG MAN draft exempt to read meters. Permanent. Opportunity for advancement. City Light and Traction Co.

WANTED BOTTLER for soft drinks, permanent position with growing concern. Write Post Office Box 27 giving all information in first letter.

WANTED THREE FARMER married men to work on Colorado ranch. Living quarters 4 and 3 room houses. Extra good wages. R. A. Sundwall, 1416 South Osage. Phone 2993.

Wanted Man

to work in Dry Cleaning Department. Apply to Dorn-Cloney Laundry Co. 201 East 3rd St.

ROSENTHAL'S Need Window Trimmer

and salesman. Good opportunity for two good men. Apply in person or write—Rosenthal's, Sedalia, Missouri

34—Help—Male and Female

WANTED EXPERIENCED help—Waitress and kitchen. Kueck's, 625.

WANTED CHICKEN PICKERS—Producers Produce Company, St. Louis and Mill Streets.

HELP WANTED—man or woman for Janitor work at Kahn Building. Apply St. Louis Clothing Company, 2nd and Ohio.

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36—Situation Wanted—Female

WANTED DAY WORK, curtains and blankets laundered. Phone 1328 evenings.

V—Financial

40—Money to Loan—Mortgages

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VII—Live Stock

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WANTED HORSE for garden work. Call Watkins, Otterville, 103.

COWS TO MILK for 1/2 of milk check, good pasture. Box 50, Route 2, Stover, Missouri.

VIII—Merchandise

51—Articles for Sale

BOY'S BICYCLE; small radio. Phone 1106-W.

OAK POSTS—Write or call Harold Hill, Smithton.

BEDS, dressers, small tables, fruit jars, other articles. Phone 1209.

SUITCASES—3 sizes, \$2.73, \$4.09, \$5.46. Supply limited. Star Drug.

ROAD AND CONCRETE gravel. Lawrence Keel. Phone 2197.

PRE-WAR folding baby buggy. Good condition. 1416 South Sneed.

JOHNSON OUTBOARD MOTOR — W. J. Knight, 701 West 10th. Phone 1081.

ICE BOX, TOOLCHEST — Iron bed, mattress, other household goods. 1220 West 4th.

COFFEE END TABLE, Fireside chair, antique platform rocker, bird cages and stand. Bed springs, 34 violin. Phone 2028-J.

GLASS HEADQUARTERS: Window glass, mirrors, glass shelves, glass for dressers, coffee tables. Show cases, store fronts. Dugans. Phone 142.

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55A—Farm Equipment

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66—Wanted To Buy

SLEEPING ROOM for rent. 916 South Lamine avenue.

WANTED—Small Electric Washer for apartment. Phone 2833-J.

WANTED—Electric Fans. Pursley Electric Company. Phone 104.

OLD HOUSES—Lumber, windows and doors. Call Tom Ware 2664.

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WANTED: Cherries, strawberries, for canning. Phone 2863. Mrs. Joe Rosenthal.

WANTED MISSOURI CENTENNIAL half dollars. Write Box "11" Care Democrat.

PAPER, RAGS, feathers, sheep pelts, cow and horse hides. M. and M. Hide and Wool Company. 301 West Main. Phone 59.

CASH FOR POULTRY: eggs and cream. Full line of poultry and live stock feed. Square Deal Produce Company. 302 West Main Phone 836

X—Real Estate for Rent

77—Houses for Rent

TENANT HOUSE, 2 acres \$7.50 per month. Kemp Hieronymus, Hughesville, Missouri.

81—Wanted—To Rent

WANTED ONE OR TWO — unfurnished rooms. Woman. 315 East 3rd. 3670.

WANTED 4 OR 5—room furnished house or apartment. Adults. Phone 4113.

SLEEPING ROOM with kitchen privileges or furnished apartment. Phone 986-W.

WANTED: 4 OR 5 room unfurnished house. See Mr. Bates at A. and P. Store or Phone 3211.

DOWN STAIRS—sleeping room with board for elderly lady. Phone 2037, at noon or after 6 o'clock.

WANTED: Unfurnished three-room apartment, private bath. Permanent couple. Phone 3813-W after 6:00.

XI—Real Estate for Sale

82—Business Property for Sale

GARAGE BUILDING, tools, stock, equipment. Good opening for good mechanic, good location and plenty of work. Priced right. De-lapp Garage, Houstonia, Mo.

83—Farms and Land for Sale

80 ACRES all tillable, improved, 7 miles out. Smith, 647.

OR TRADE well improved 40 acre farm four miles northeast of Otterville. Plenty of fruit. Edward J. Hurley, 219 1/2 South Ohio Street. Phone 630 or Terry Hotel. Phone 57.

84—Houses for Sale.

FIVE ROOMS—Strictly modern. West side. Immediate possession. Wm. H. Carl, phone 291.

1323 SOUTH KENTUCKY—Priced right, possession. Clyde Patterson. Phone 4395-J.

FIVE ROOMS, water and lights. \$1400. \$200 cash, balance \$22.08 per month. W. D. Smith.

9 ROOMS, modern except heat, one block from Court House. Terms. Kent D. Johnson, Phone 700.

OR TRADE — 10 room modern house except heat. Possession of 5 rooms at once. See W. C. Ellison 211 West Main.

104 SOUTH PROSPECT, 5 rooms, modern except heat, shown by appointment. Terms, possession. Kent D. Johnson, Phone 700.

SIX ROOMS—5 acres; 5 rooms, 2 lots; 6 rooms 6 lots; 4 rooms, with acreage; 6 rooms, 2 lots; 4 rooms, 40 acres; 5 rooms, \$300. Cash balance monthly. Kent D. Johnson, phone 700.

FIVE ROOMS—East Broadway, \$1500. Four rooms, 2 lots, East 7, \$1600. Six rooms, modern, West 7th \$4000. Seven rooms, modern, \$3500. Two 7 room modern houses, 2 baths, \$4500 each. Five rooms, modern, Carr Avenue \$4500. See E. H. McLaughlin, Porter Real Estate Company.

OR RENT: Modern nine rooms, bath, full basement, furnace, stoker, sleeping rooms above renting for \$56.00 per month. 4 rooms below, automatic water heater, good garage. Possession June 20th, 1944. 202 East 5th Street. Owner.

8 ROOM, 2 FAMILY HOUSE — modern except heat, close in, 3 rooms with bath, now rented. 5 rooms, 1/2 bath, vacant, newly decorated, inlaid linoleum, new roof, paint job under contract. Double garages with drive way. Other outbuildings, grape arbor bearing fruit. Possession. Apply Owner, 600 East 16th. Phone 1561.

84A—Apartments for Sale

BRICK, 4 APARTMENTS — 916 East 3rd, modern except heat. Cash or terms. Income \$56.50 per month or live in one with sufficient income to make all payments. Bargain \$4750. Phone 2321.

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COMMUNITY NEWS from—

La Monte

Mrs. Mary Patton

T/5 I. A. Cross, Jr., returned to Camp Ellis, Ill., recently, after a 15-day leave spent with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Cross.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hogan and baby daughter, Sharon, of Cainville, arrived for a few-days visit with Mrs. Hogan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Wharton.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Davidson and daughters, Mrs. Orville Lehmer and Betty Gayle, and Mrs. C. I. Phipps of Kansas City spent the week-end with friends. They were guests Saturday night of Mr.

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**Pitches Using
Either Of Arms**

KANSAS CITY, June 7.—(P)—Jimmy Wadlow, 22-year old pitcher who can throw from either port or starboard, is trying to make up his mind whether to be right or lefthanded when he tries out with Sacramento of the Pacific coast league.

Wadlow is registered as a right-hander but he always has carried a pretty fair spare tire in his southpaw, even before he broke his right arm serving up a fast pitch in 1941.

"I've got a lot more speed and a better curve when I'm a southpaw," said Jimmy while visiting his parents here. "But my control is bad from the port side."

Cut loose by York, Pa., of the Interstate league after he had beaten Wilmington, 4-2, in his only start of the season, Jimmy began thinking seriously about switching to southpawing.

"My arm felt good but after I beat Wilmington it got tight and sore. Maybe I'll give it another try in the warm California sunshine. Then, if it doesn't come around, I'll concentrate on my left-handed control. Who knows, maybe I'll have two good pitching arms eventually."

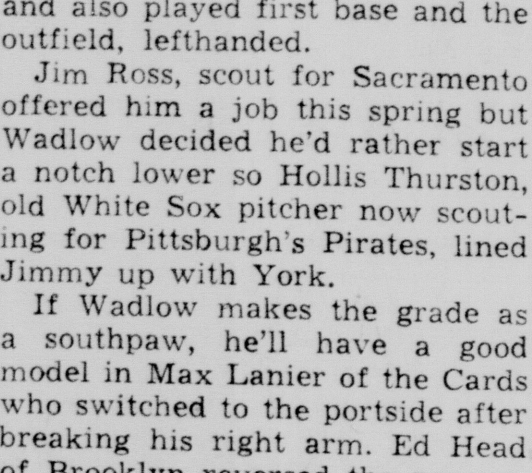
Jimmy, who signs paychecks lefthanded, won 17 and lost three in 1941 with the Solar Aircraft semi-pro club of San Diego before he broke his arm. As the result he skipped the 1942 baseball season. He went back to starboard hurling last year in Los Angeles and also played first base and the outfield, lefthanded.

Jim Ross, scout for Sacramento offered him a job this spring but Wadlow decided he'd rather start a notch lower so Hollis Thurston, old White Sox pitcher now scouting for Pittsburgh's Pirates, lined Jimmy up with York.

If Wadlow makes the grade as a southpaw, he'll have a good model in Max Lanier of the Cards who switched to the portside after breaking his right arm. Ed Head of Brooklyn reversed the process. And Calvin McLish, Dodger rookie right hander, also can throw with his left.

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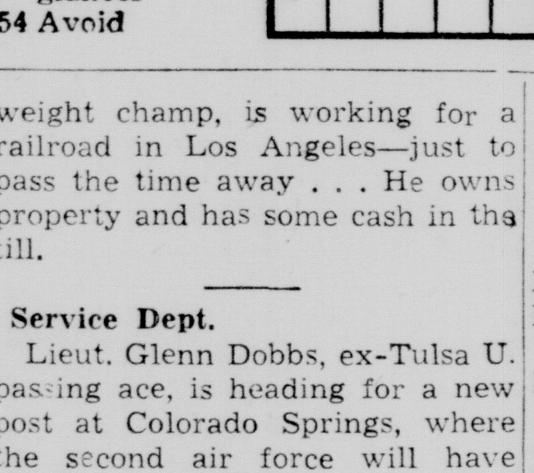
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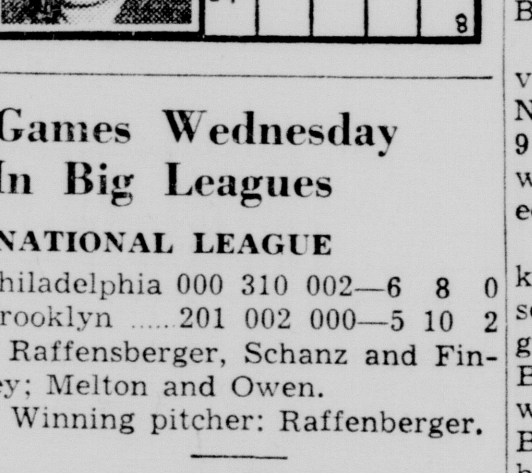
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**Baseball is
Back to
Normal**

Mel Ott in Homers;
White Sox Threaten
Am. League Leaders

By Jack Hand
Associated Press Sports Writer

Mel Ott continued to lift the Giants by their bootstraps, and the Chicago White Sox began to cast their shadow across the American league standings today as baseball swung back into normal stride.

Ott clouted two more home runs, lifting his season production to 14, as the Giants pummeled Al Javery and the Boston Braves last night, 6-2, behind the four-hit chugging of Harry Feldman.

If Ott had been able to confine his recent slugging streak to either May or June he might be challenging the National league record of 15 homers in one month set by Fred Williams of the Phillies in May, 1923. As it is, Ott has hit 10 in the last 13 days but the string started May 26.

Jimmy Dykes' White Sox have stretched their win streak to seven by downing Detroit, 3-1, in another night game. The Sox are only a half game behind the third place Tigers, and only 3½ games behind the leading St. Louis Browns.

Orval Grove captured his fifth victory at the expense of Hal Newhouser, whose bid for win No. 9 resulted in loss No. 4, when he walked Grove with the bases loaded to force in the tie-breaking run.

Boston sent the New York Yankees reeling back under another setback, 8-1, as Tex Hughson grabbed his seventh decision and Boss Joe Cronin led the attack with a double and homer. Hank Borowy suffered his second setback of the campaign, fading after the fifth inning.

Rip Sewall ran his victory string to seven by stopping Cincinnati, 4-2 on Vince Dimaggio's single in the eighth, which drove home Johnny Barrett and Jim Russell.

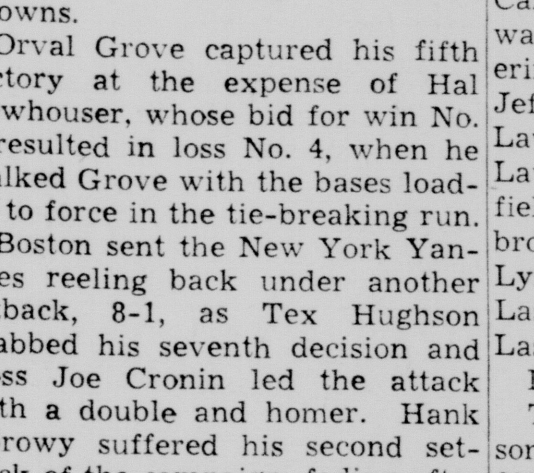
The Pittsburgh "blooper ball" toser lost two of his first three starts, but hasn't been beaten since May 3 while trimming Brooklyn twice, Boston, Philadelphia, New York, Chicago, and now Cincinnati.

The Phillies came from behind twice to top Brooklyn in the ninth, 6-5, when Jimmy Wadell, an ex-Dodger, singled home Tony Lupien after Ray Hamrick had scored the tying run on Rube Melton's wild pitch.

St. Louis and Chicago in the National and Washington, Philadelphia, Cleveland and St. Louis in the American were not scheduled.

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**Missourians
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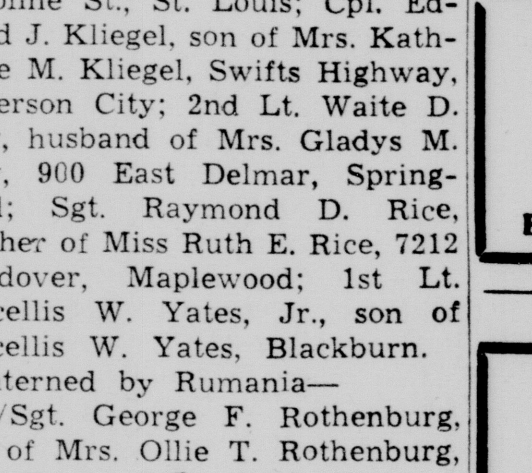
WASHINGTON, June 8.—(P)—These Missourians were among 824 soldiers listed by the War Department today as held prisoners of war.

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S/Sgt. Henry T. Baswell, Jr., husband of Mrs. Hazel E. Baswell, 2030 Jefferson St., Kansas City; T/Sgt. Emory L. Brandt, son of Mrs. Lydia Brandt, Knob Noster; 1st Lt. Carl R. Browning, son of Clarence C. Browning, Appleton City; S/Sgt. Godley B. Cameron, brother of Clarence Cameron, Cascade; Sgt. James E. Clark, son of Frank I. Clark, Route 10, North Kansas City; S/Sgt. J. N. Edgar, son of Mrs. Myrtle A. Edgar, Union Star; S/Sgt. William G. Griner, son of William C. Griner, Adrian; Sgt. Lloyd S. Haller, son of Mrs. Stella M. McKinney, 2512 Drury, Kansas City; S/Sgt. Thomas W. Heller, son of Dr. Edward P. Heller, 640 West 57th St., Kansas City; Sgt. Jerome J. Helmer, son of Joseph H. Helmer, 4757 Dahlia ave., St. Louis; 2nd Lt. Myrl J. Hodson, husband of Mrs. Jane A. Hodson, 2008 Poplar, Kansas City; S/Sgt. Max Holladay, son of Mrs. Artie Holladay, Mt. Vernon; 2nd Lt. Wayne O. Immekus, husband of Mrs. Ruth Immekus, 6529 San Bonita, Clayton; Cpl. Kenneth F. Jones, son of Mrs. Gertrude N. Jones, 3424 Caroline St., St. Louis; Cpl. Edward J. Kiegl, son of Mrs. Katherine M. Kiegl, Swifts Highway, Jefferson City; 2nd Lt. Waite D. Law, husband of Mrs. Gladys M. Law, 900 East Delmar, Springfield; Sgt. Raymond D. Rice, brother of Miss Ruth E. Rice, 7212 Lyndover, Maplewood; 1st Lt. Lascell W. Yates, Jr., son of Lascell W. Yates, Blackburn.

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COMMUNITY NEWS from—
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Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Monsees received word recently from their son, T/Sgt. Everett Monsees, stating he had arrived safely somewhere in New Guinea.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Scott was a scene of a triple celebration Sunday when the wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Scott and the birthdays of his sisters, Mrs. W. E. Hudson and Mrs. Archie Peoples were observed. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Scott and children, Norma Louise, Donald and Carolyn Ann, Mrs. Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Peoples and children, Mason and Margie Jane, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hudson and children, Mary Frances, Bobby Lee and Unice Lillian, Mrs. Edwards and Marjorie Edwards.

**Large Crowd
At YMCA-USO
Celebration**

**Held at First
Christian Church
Tuesday Night**

The Service Recognition banquet in observance of the first anniversary of the USO club at its present location, Fifth street and Osage avenue, and the centennial anniversary of the Y. M. C. A., was held at 6:30 o'clock Tuesday evening at the First Christian church, with one hundred ninety-seven persons in attendance.

A large bouquet of red carnations and stocks was on the speaker's table, and strips of red crepe paper were used down the center of the table. At each end was a large flag, one an American flag the other a USO flag. Seated at the speakers' table were: Chaplain and Mrs. William M. Lewis and son, Rev. H. U. Campbell, Rev. A. J. Brunswick, I. H. Reed, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne VanZandt, Warrant Officer Tom Mooney, Lieut. George Darnell, Miss Sylvia Sufirin, Lieut. Dale Baer and Mrs. Carl Urban.

Members of various organizations were seated at other tables in groups, with cards made by Miss Mary Lu Zink designating each group.

Low bouquets of red rambler roses and Queen Ann's lace decorated the other tables with red, white and blue crepe paper down the center of the tables. Paper napkins were of red and blue.

Miss Juanita Young and Mrs. Carl Urban were in charge of invitations. Mrs. J. C. Connor and Miss Roseanne Dugan, decorations, and Wayne Van Zandt and Mrs. A. R. Beach arranged the program.

Music By Orchestra

Music was furnished by the USO orchestra preceding the dinner and during the seating of the guests.

The speaker of the evening was Chaplain William M. Lewis, S. A. A. F. base chaplain, who took for his subject: "What Are We Fighting For?"

Invocation was given by Rev. A. J. Brunswick.

Rev. H. U. Campbell, president of the Sedalia USO council, was toastmaster and gave the welcoming address.

"Appreciation from the S. A. A. F." was given by Lieut. Dale Baer.

"Thanks from the American Red Cross at S. A. A. F." by Miss Sylvia Sufirin.

"Response from Sedalia and Thanks to Our Community, Individuals and Organizations," Mrs. Carl Urban.

Introduction of Pfc. Teddy Block, master of ceremonies for the SAAF entertainers composed of the WAC quartette, Glider Band and the guest soloist, Pvt. Jack Vogas.

Wayne Van Zandt Speaks

D-Day, centennial of the Y. M. C. A. and service recognitions were then spoken of by W. Van Zandt, director of the USO. At this time recognition was made of persons who had served fifty, or a hundred hours, or more, and particular recognition to those who had given special services. Members of the following organizations received recognition: Sedalia USO Council and Committee of Management, USO program committee, Girls Service Organization and GSO advisory council, USO orchestra, USO choir, USO chaperons, Service Wives club,

**"At Least Planes Come Back
Despite Claims Of 'Jinx'"**

(The following story was written by Lt. Louis Olszyk, Milwaukee, Wis., a marine corps public relations officer, formerly with the Milwaukee Journal and distributed by the Associated Press).

Somewhere in the Marshall Islands—(delayed)—from "Lucky" to "Jinx."

This change of nicknames for Cpl. James R. Graves, 21, of Rushville, Mo., pretty much tells the story of his fortunes as a marine dive bomber gunner in the aerial campaign here. He has participated in 16 missions over Jap-held atolls in this area and his plane was hit twice by enemy anti-aircraft.

The first hit occurred on March 15 in an attack on Mille. The bomb failed to release, so the plane went up for its second try—alone.

At it went into the dive, a bullet

entered through the engine and wounded the pilot, 1st Lt. Harry L. Burge, Los Angeles, Calif.

Keeps Plane On "Right Track"

Lt. Burge had trouble flying the plane home. Every time it began to swerve, Cpl. Graves manipulated the emergency stick in his compartment to keep the plane on "the right track."

As a matter of fact, he helped pull the plane out of its dive after it was hit. Then he threw out the heavy guns to lighten the load.

All the while he worked without benefit of a phone. The "intercom" went dead and he was unable to converse with Lt. Burge.

Periodically, he stood on the seat to peek into the pilot's compartment to check the compass for direction. The plane came back to base, executed a perfect landing.

Cpl. Graves was immediately baptized "Lucky" by the boys.

The succession of experience that followed, however, each time with Cpl. Graves as the plane's gunner, shed a new light on his charms.

On one of the subsequent hops, the plane of which he was gunner was hit over Maloelap. Then, when ever a returning plane made a bad landing, it was a good guess that Cpl. Graves was in it. He usually was.

The pay-off and re-baptism came when a plane made a one-wheel landing and was damaged. The other wheel stuck. Yes, Cpl. Graves was the gunner.

He was "Jinx" from then on. The boys even, kidding, named him the "Jonah" of Lt. Burge's plane.

The pilots, nevertheless, are unafraid with him in the plane. "At least," they say, "the planes come back."

Cpl. Graves' next of kin is his brother, Warren, of Rushville. He enlisted Dec. 12, 1942.

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Gain of 26 Miles For 24 Hours

Fifth Army Of U. S. Troops In The Capture Of Civita Castellana

By EDWARD KENNEDY

ROME, June 8.—(AP)—In lightning drives of as much as 26 miles in 24 hours, the Allied Fifth army today captured Civita Castellana, 32 miles north of Rome, after other swift armored units had pounded through Civitavecchia, important seaport 38 miles northwest of the Italian capital.

Only the slightest resistance was being encountered by Lt. Gen. Mark W. Clark's troops as they pressed after the reeling German 14th army, which an Allied spokesman declared had been reduced to "battered remnants there yet was no indication where the disorganized enemy would attempt to halt the Allied steamroller."

Civita Castellana is the junction of three main highways and two electric railways. Light reconnaissance units entered the town early in the evening. Civitavecchia is a city of 36,000 population, with docks that will be of value to the pursuing Allied forces.

A third Fifth army column drove into Bracciano, ancient iron smelting center 19 miles northwest of Rome near Lake Bracciano, and also threw an arm around the eastern side of the lake.

(Secretary of War Stimson reported that American Forces suffered 2,379 casualties in the fierce three-day battle preceding the capture of Rome. Total U. S. Casualties from the landing at Salerno last September to May 30 were placed at 57,529.)

Captured in the swift northward was the former headquarters of the Nazi Commander, Field Marshal Albert Kesselring. The "elaborate, tunneled underground stronghold" was situated about three miles southeast of Civita Castellana.

Slash Armies of Nazis
An Allied spokesman declared that "the battered remnants of the German 14th army are in a considerable state of disorganization" and disclosed that upwards of 40 enemy units were represented among prisoners captured since Rome fell.

Both the enemy 10th and 14th armies now have been so slashed up that there is no possibility of either group sending reinforcements to any other fighting front in Europe. That was one of the principal aims of the Italian offensive.

General Clark's speedy drives west and north of Rome are being accomplished despite large-scale Nazi demolitions. Every bridge over the Tiber for a distance of 37 miles north of Rome has been destroyed, and the main highway north to Civita Castellana is struck with deep craters.

Lt. Gen. Sir Oliver Leese's Eighth army, punching northward east of the Tiber, captured the important town of Monterotondo, 12 miles northeast of Rome, and the nearby villages of Saint Angelo, Romano, Guidonia and Mentana.

Airport Work Not City Duty

Grading and preliminary work on the Sedalia airport, on the old highway 50, west of Sedalia, is progressing. T. H. Yount, first ward alderman and chairman of the city council airport committee said Thursday.

Mr. Yount was somewhat worried Wednesday, following motion taken just before adjournment of the city council Monday night. Richard Keenan, opposed to the present plan of development of the airport for a flying school, offered a motion "that after the signing of the contract-lease on the municipal airport property, city employees must not be required to go to the leased airport site to perform work in line of duty." The motion was seconded by John F. Taylor and passed by a vote of six members. Mr. Yount voted no and Leo Eickhoff, the fourth ward alderman, who had been excused from the meeting a few minutes before, was not present.

This action temporarily hindered work on the field, because Mr. Yount had expected to have some of it done by city employees. However, he states he found cooperation from workers elsewhere and the work is progressing.

Retail Stores and Banks Will Close Friday Afternoon

Sedalia Retail stores and banks will close Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock for the Pettis County Fifth War Loan Drive. The banks will transact business only for the sale of bonds, after the special closing hour of 2 o'clock. The Sedalia Retail Merchants association voted to close for the bond drive at its last meeting. Grocery stores will not close.

All Set for Bond Quota in Seven Hours

United Effort on Part of All Will 'Get Job Done'

All arrangements are made for Pettis county to go over the top in the Fifth War Loan this afternoon beginning at 2 o'clock. Induction centers, where bond buyers will report to back the attack by pledging to buy war bonds, have been set up in strategic locations throughout the county. Every school house outside Sedalia has been designated as a place for the sale of bonds. Nineteen induction centers will be opened in Sedalia, staffed with trained personnel, for the rapid signing of pledges.

The induction centers will be open until 9 o'clock in the evening. The Bond Headquarters, 308 South Ohio avenue, will receive an hour by hour report from each induction center to secure late information on the progress of the drive throughout the county. Ben Robinson, co-chairman of Sedalia division of the Pettis County War Finance committee, will have a large share of the direction of the drive from Bond Headquarters. Mrs. Chester Wright, women's chairman of the War Finance committee, will also aid in the placing of workers in each of the Sedalia induction centers. The phone numbers of the Headquarters are 67 and 91.

Subscribe the Limit
The war bond goal of \$895,000 for Pettis county will be attained in seven hours if each citizen subscribes the limit in the purchase of bonds. Calls will be made on every home in Pettis county, either by phone or in person, from 2 o'clock until the end of the drive. "Put Pettis county over the line, between the hours of two and nine."

Eleven Die As Bombers Collide

HONOLULU, June 9.—(AP)—The death toll as the result of an airplane collision over the city today, first announced as 17, tentatively was placed at 11 after further investigation, with two other persons reported missing.

The two army medium bombers which collided normally carry crews of five men each. Police assumed that all 10 men had been killed.

Army authorities said later that only two men had been assigned to fly aboard each plane. Unless hitchhikers were aboard, they said, the two planes contained no more than four men.

Police Chief W. A. Gabrielson said seven civilians also were killed when exploding, flaming airplane wreckage struck several houses and destroyed four. Two persons also believed to have been in the houses are missing.

Infection Due Tick Bite Fatal
POMONA, Mo., June 8.—(AP)—A tick bite resulted in infection which has taken the life of Leroy Williams, 57, farmer near Pomona.

Two Former Democrat-Capital Reporters Meet in New Guinea

Two former Sedalia Democrat-Capital reporters, now in the armed service, had a surprise meeting somewhere in New Guinea shortly after their arrival in the South Pacific theater of war and are still "keeping everything under control." They are Lieutenant Jack Reuter, a member of the Capital force, and Lieutenant Edward "Eddie" Lawson, formerly of the Democrat, but with the Associated Press at the time of entering the service.

A letter was received Thursday by D. Kelly Scruton, in which it stated in part, "This place has its bad joints, but we are able to take care of everything as it comes. Ed. Lawson and I are keeping everything under control. He just lives a couple of tents from me at present. We take in the shows together at nights and spend a

No Date Set For Holland Preliminary

Woman, Friend of Family, Believed Missing, is Located

Rumors that Edgar W. Holland, farmer and former Sedalia automobile dealer charged with the murder of his wife Mrs. Molly Mattie Holland, 36, might know something of the disappearance of another Missouri woman, were unfounded according to the state highway patrol. The believed-to-be missing woman has been located in Los Angeles, California, and is very much alive.

The woman, said to have been Mrs. Mae Sorbitz of St. Louis, was located in California by the patrol after rumors had reached them she had been missing since last winter and had not been heard from since last January. Mrs. Sorbitz, a friend of Mr. and Mrs. Holland had visited the Holland farm, seven miles northwest of La Monte several times.

It was said she had accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Holland to the state of California last winter and decided to remain in that part of the country for a more extended visit.

Soldier Writes of Case
A letter from Sergeant Raymond Hoover, formerly of the neighborhood in which the bodies were found, states that he assisted Holland in launching a boat at a dead end road last October, near the resort of Eddie Wilson. It was at this same spot that the body of Mrs. Fairfax was found on Sunday, April 16, while a short distance away in the water the body of Mrs. Holland was found on Monday, April 17.

Wilson said he had received a note from the sergeant in which the soldier stated that last October he had aided Holland in the launching of a boat at the exact spot where the bodies were found. Holland denied ever launching a boat in the lake at the dead end road, although he did say he put a boat into the water at Eddie's place.

No Preliminary Date
Today Prosecuting Attorney L. J. Harned said no date had been set as yet for the preliminary hearing for Holland, nor had the now pending charges in the court of Judge C. W. Bente, sitting as ex-officio justice of the peace, been dismissed. The charges will probably be dismissed within a few days as soon as Holland's lawyer, Fred F. Wesner, local attorney and Harned get together to discuss the setting of the hearing date.

Last Saturday Harned said the charges would be dismissed in the Bente court and would be refilled in another court with jurisdiction over the case, probably in the court of A. M. Harlan.

In the meantime Holland is being held in the Pettis county jail without bail.

The two headless bodies, found in the Lake of the Ozarks last mid-April, have been identified as those of Mrs. Holland, wife of Edgar and Mrs. Pearl Fairfax, 59, mother of Mrs. Holland. Identification was made through the efforts of the highway patrol with the assistance of friends, relatives, and doctors. Finger-prints played a big part in the identification of Mrs. Holland, comparisons of the dead woman's prints being made with those found on articles at the Holland home.

Berlin Report U. S. Vessels Sunk
LONDON, Friday, June 9.—(AP)—The Berlin radio in a wholly unconfirmed report said tonight that an American cruiser had been sunk off the east coast of the Cherbourg peninsula by German motor torpedo boats.

The enemy report was entirely without substantiation in Allied quarters.

A similarly unconfirmed German report said a destroyer had been sunk.

Taney County Is First On War Loan
WASHINGTON, June 8.—(AP)—For the fifth time, Taney county, in the Missouri Ozarks, was the first county in the nation to report to the treasury it had met its war loan drive quota.

Its quota of \$150,000 for the Fifth war loan not only has been reached, the County Chairman, The Rev. J. E. Chase reported, but his townsmen have pledged to double the quota.

Missourian Encountered No Enemy Aircraft
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Heavy Rains
The only news over here is when it stops raining. The rainfall is measured by feet. We manage to keep up with the news but it gets here a couple of days late. They have a newspaper here distributed free to the armed forces that is pretty good.

"I haven't had any mail from the states since March 15, so I am behind on the news."

Reuter was a reporter on the Capital at the time he entered the service, leaving Sedalia with the old 128th Field Artillery, Missouri National Guards in December of 1940. He and Lawson were good friends when in Sedalia.

Bond Drive 'Colonels' Locations

Fire Engine House Number 2—Harry Lindstrom.
Missouri Pacific Shops—Fred Brink, Mrs. Ruth Riley.
Third National Bank—C. L. Hanley.
Union Savings Bank—Felix Sullivan.

County Court House—John Ryan.
Pacific Cafe—Chet Wright, Henry Kroenke.

Fox Theater—Aaron Gardner, M-K-T Shops—Guy Peabody, Harry Brunkhorst.

Sedalia Bank and Trust company—C. L. Carter.
Postoffice Building—Ed Mul-laley.

Elks Club—Hugo Sparr, A. A. Studebaker.
Front of Penney's store—P. Hed-drich.

Horace Mann school—Ernest Baker, J. E. Morrow.
Washington school—Al Pringle, Miss Bessie Perkins.

Whittier school—Oscar Leslie, Miss Katharine Gorman.
Mark Twain school—Rev. H. U. Campbell, Tom Walsh.

Broadway school—Tom Cloney, Rev. A. J. Brunswick.
Jefferson school—R. C. Park-hurst, Elmer Summers.

Hubbard high school—Prof. C. C. Hubbard, Pinkney Miller.

Col. Salisbury In Command

Sedalian Directs Fighter Wing In Campaign In France

Colonel Arthur Salisbury, of Sedalia, is given special recognition in an article by Duke Shoop, correspondent for the Kansas City Star, who is one of numerous special correspondents covering the invasion. Col. Salisbury has been in England since the windup of the Tunisian and Sicilian campaigns.

Shoop gives much credit to Kansas, Kansas Citizens and Missourians in his article telling of qualifications of numerous officers in the Ninth air force tactical reconnaissance group who had much to do with pre-invasion preparations.

Relative to Col. Salisbury he says: Col. Arthur Salisbury of Sedalia, Mo., is credited with having had a big hand in the North African, Italian and Sicilian campaigns.

The king of England presented him with the British Distinguished Flying Cross and Stalin honored him with the Order of the Red Star.

General Dwight Eisenhower and General George C. Marshall have showered commendations upon the modest 27-year-old Missourian. Salisbury commanded a famous fighter squadron that was attached to General Bernard Montgomery's Eighth army. This group alone accounted for seventy-six German planes in the heavy fighting at Cap Bon in the final stages of the Tunisian campaign.

Commands Fighter Wing
Now as commander of a fighter wing of Thunderbolts, his responsibility is comparable the head of a big American corporation. For weeks Salisbury has been directing the work of Thunderbolt fighter-bombers, the four groups under his command being credited as the hottest pilots in the Ninth tactical air force.

When Salisbury and his men and machines move to France, you may expect to hear more and more and more of the young Missourian. After being graduated from Sedalia high school, Salisbury received a law degree from the University of Arkansas. He enlisted in the air corps on the day of his graduation.

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German Reserves Fail To Halt The Allied Advance

President Signs Bill For Payment For \$500 to Sedalian

WASHINGTON, June 8.—(AP)—President Roosevelt has signed a bill authorizing payment of \$500 to Miss Bernadine Salmon of Sedalia, Mo., for injuries she suffered when the auto in which she was riding was struck by an army air corps tractor near Tipton, Mo., Aug. 10, 1941.

Tough Division Side By Side

American First And British 50th Battle Germans

By HAL BOYLE

LONDON, Friday, June 9.—(AP)—Two of the toughest, hardest-fighting divisions in the American and English armies—the famous American First infantry division and Britain's renowned Fifth Northumbrian division—are cracking the Germans again side by side, this time on the fields and beaches of French Normandy.

Headquarters officially announced today that these divisions, the first once a part of the Fifth U. S. army and the Northumbrian an important cog in the British Eighth army, spearheaded the Allied invasion from the sea and made excellent progress after smashing enemy counter-attacks.

Most of the boys in the first originally came from the east, including hundreds from Brooklyn, but it has had so many replacements that it now is an all-American division.

Third Time Together
It is the third time these wise-cracking Americans and their slow-talking buddies from England's north lake country have muddled Nazi battle plans together.

First it was in the deserts of North Africa, then the mountains of Sicily. Now they're battling shoulder to shoulder again on France's coastal plain.

(The German controlled Calais radio, in a broadcast recorded by the Ministry of Information, said tonight the German high command named these Allied formations as participating in the Normandy fighting: Vire estuary and east coast—U. S. First, Fourth and Twenty-Ninth infantry divisions and the 506th parachute regiment; Caen—British Sixth airborne division; Arramanches—units of the Third British and Third Canadian infantry.)

The sturdy Northumbrians have gone a long way since they left their windy pastures to battle England's foe. They fought in France and Flanders and their rocky stand at Arras and along the Ypres-Comines canal gave other British and French troops precious time for the epic Dunkerque withdrawal. They back-stopped withdrawal of the South Africans to Tobruk during Romel's last great plunge in Libya and then saved themselves by a spectacular frontal break through the German lines and a wide sweep back to rejoin the Eighth army on Egypt's borders. Then they helped pursue the Nazis across Africa, Sicily and into Italy.

Smash Vital Rail Junctions Behind Lines
LONDON, June 8.—(AP)—The German radio reported at 10 p. m. tonight (4 p. m. eastern war time) that two more Allied airborne divisions "in many hundreds" of gliders had landed north of Bayeux today. It was the first report of a daylight operation on such a large scale.

Second Phase In The Three Stage Assault Is Waged
LONDON, June 8.—(AP)—A commentator on the Nazi-controlled Paris radio said tonight that 20 Allied divisions now have landed in Normandy and added that the battle was "growing in depth."

Simultaneously the German radio reported an Allied tank push had driven as much as six miles south of captured Bayeux, itself five miles from the coast.

Calmer At Channel As Troops Land
LONDON, June 8.—(AP)—The blustery channel weather, which delayed the western invasion 24 hours and at one time nearly caused an Allied disaster, began clearing during this third day of assault, easing the task of troops unloading from light, wave-kicked landing craft.

Improvement of the weather extended deep inland over the continent, and Allied airmen were able to cast their heaviest bomb tonnage upon the enemy since the first troops—many of them retching and seasick—struggled ashore on the Normandy coast under a chill, overcast sky.

(The writer of this dispatch witnessed the invasion from a PT boat.)

It was much warmer in the strait, the sun shone for long periods and the seas moderated somewhat after forcing a suspension of unloadings at times yesterday along the invasion beaches. The thermometer registered 68 in mid-afternoon and visibility lifted to three or four miles.

Although the channel was considerably quieter than on D-day, its ruffled waters and always treacherous tides and currents still were far from ideal for the intricate amphibious operation. A southwesterly wind blew fairly strong in the early evening, and the sea was choppy with a swell close inshore.

The wind dropped from what the British navy described as "force four," which whipped up whitecaps and swamped smaller craft, to "force two," which was a rest to jettison their bombs.

Smash Vital Rail Junctions Behind Lines

Opposition In Air By Germans Is Limited

SUPREME HEADQUARTERS ALLIED EXPEDITIONARY FORCE, Friday, June 9.—(AP)—Allied air forces, surpassing the total of 27,000 sorties since the invasion of western Europe began, smashed at vital rail junctions well behind the battle zone and at scores of other objectives throughout the battle of Normandy.

As the weather improved steadily, daylight operations were the greatest today in all the three days of invasion warfare, and at noon the 27,000-sorties mark was passed by British-based aircraft.

During this period, approximately 54 hours, Allied losses were 289 planes of all types—barely more than 1 per cent.

German planes destroyed in the period totaled 176 planes out of the meager forces which were dwarfed by the massive Allied bomber and fighter fleets thundering constantly through European skies.

American Fortresses and Liberators, nearly 1,000 strong and escorted by up to 500 fighters, smashed at transport bottlenecks and airfields 100 to 150 miles behind the Normandy beachheads. Enemy opposition in the air continued on a limited scale. However, flares reported ground fire was extremely heavy.

Ten Separate Attacks
Ten rail centers on main lines leading to the Brestland Cherbourg peninsula were pounded by the Fortresses and Liberators and by Marauders and Havocs of the U. S. Ninth air force, and the Ninth's fighter-bombers alone made ten separate attacks during the first six hours of daylight, losing only one Thunderbolt.

At the same time Eighth air force Thunderbolt and Mustang fighters attacked an armored column, rail cars, 16 locomotives, eight bridges, 12 rail yards, a tunnel, oil dump, ware house, factory, two hangars, canal locks on the Seine, seven military encampments and a heavy gun emplacement. Only two Thunderbolt and two Mustang groups in these operations met enemy planes in combat.

The American heavies hit rail installations over a wide area at Rennes, Laval, Tours, Le Mans, Nantes and Angers, meeting some opposition in the air and shooting down seven of one enemy formation of 12 planes. Simultaneously, the Marauders and Havocs sought out their targets at Valognes, Vire, Lessay, Pontaubault, Rennes and Laval, all on the Cherbourg peninsula or on rail lines leading to it. Ninth fighters hit enemy vehicles and Typophons lashed enemy traffic with rockets and stabbed nine miles below Caen to fire on enemy Tiger Tanks.

RAF Spitfires of the second tactical air force, covering land forces, met 18 Nazi fighters attempting to bomb the Allied-held beaches, knocked down two and forced the rest to jettison their bombs.

Hundred-Mile Long Front on Normandy Coast
Allies spread front along 100 miles of Normandy coast (black line), establishing firm beachheads at Caen (1) and severing Cherbourg-Paris road at Carentan (2). New invasion forces are reported off Calais-Boulogne area. (NEA Telephoto)

Fighting Rages On Inside Of Caen As Battle Grows In Intensity Inland
By WES GALLAGHER
SUPREME HEADQUARTERS ALLIED EXPEDITIONARY FORCE, Friday, June 9.—(AP)—The Germans hurled in their reserves along the whole expanding battlefront in Normandy yesterday but failed to stem the Allied advance as the Americans gradually enlarged their beachheads and the British and Canadians made continued progress in the second phase of the three-stage assault on the European fortress.

An Allied communique issued shortly before midnight last night said "the enemy is fighting fiercely. His reserves have now been in action along the whole front."

A fierce tank battle has been raging for 24 hours near Bayeux, a correspondent with the Canadian forces reported in a front-line dispatch dated Thursday.

The Germans, strengthened by paratroopers, are putting up fierce resistance and some desperate hand to hand fighting has taken place in several wooded areas, he said, adding that "the Germans are clinging tenaciously to Caen, using that city as a pivot of fierce counter thrusts to test the strength of our lines."

Announcing that the first step in the invasion had been accomplished, headquarters explained this as "the securing of a foothold and the defeating of local German reserves."

The present second phase, it was explained, called for defeating the German tactical reserves, which are those most immediately at hand, including the 7th and 15th armies now being met; and the third the task of crushing strategic reserves, which might come from Germany or other fronts and whose defeat would spell complete security for the Allied dispositions.

The British sixth airborne division, which the Nazis claimed yesterday to have "annihilated" has held repeated German attacks, the communique said.

Americans Fight For Road
It was later disclosed at headquarters that Americans were fighting for a lateral road, which was not specified, but which apparently was one of those running westward from Caen, nine miles inland, and roughly parallel to the coast towards the Cherbourg peninsula.

It also was disclosed that the American first and 50th infantry divisions spearheaded the initial seaborne landings Tuesday. American forces are on the west of the beachhead area and the British Sixth airborne division on the east, with the left flank running north and south slightly east of Caen, it was said at headquarters.

Despite a weather-imposed 24-hour delay in the invasion, the Allies are catching up so that the situation now warrants "sober confidence," it was stated.

Division Takes 1,000 Prisoners
There has been some progress all along the Allied front, and AI-

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Missourian One Of Ten Dead In Crash
ALLIANCE, Neb., June 8.—(AP)—Names of nine of the ten men killed yesterday when a B-24 bomber from the Lincoln, Neb., air base crashed near Chappel, Neb., were disclosed today by Col. Tracy W. Dorsett, commander of the Alliance air base.

The dead include: Second Lt. Donald S. Wallace, husband of Mrs. Juanita A. Wallace, Peculiar, Mo.

The Weather
Showers and occasional thunderstorms, Friday and Saturday, little change in temperature; high Friday 68 north to 78 south; occasional showers Sunday and Monday; rainfall will total heavy.

Pettis County Over Line Today Between Hours of 2 and 9

Holland Will Have Hearing Before Harlan

No Jurisdiction In Bente's Court; Date Not Yet Set

Charges of first degree murder against Edgar W. Holland, who is accused in a state information, with the death of his wife, whose headless body was found last mid-April in the Lake of the Ozarks, are to be dismissed in the court of Judge C. W. Bente, and will be refiled in the court of Justice of the Peace A. M. Harlan, L. J. Harned, prosecuting attorney, announced Saturday.

Mr. Harned said that he had discussed the case with Fred F. Wesner, attorney for Holland, and that they are to talk the case over within the next few days, at which time an agreement will be reached as to the date for the preliminary hearing.

"The reason the case was first filed in the court of Judge Bente was, Judge Harlan could not be located the day Holland was arrested. Neither could Judge W. A. Collins be contacted immediately, it was said. It was necessary to file the charges in Bente's court to hold Holland," Harned explained.

State highway patrol members are continuing with their "routine investigation," with little to say, if there are or aren't any new developments, into the mysterious disappearance of Mrs. Molly Mattie Grose Holland, 36, wife of Edgar W. Holland, and her mother Mrs. Pearl Fairfax, 59, reported missing since April 15.

The bodies of the two headless women found in the Lake of the Ozarks, have been identified as those of Mrs. Holland and Mrs. Fairfax. However, Holland, through his attorney disclaim that positive identification of the bodies has been made.

No Jurisdiction

A Democrat-Capital reporter Saturday afternoon called upon Wesner, to ascertain when he would desire a preliminary hearing. Mr. Wesner said the defense is ready for a hearing at anytime the case is filed before a court with competent jurisdiction.

Mr. Wesner stated, "I called Mr. Harned's attention to the fact, this morning (Saturday), that he has filed the case against Holland before a court which does not have legal jurisdiction and cannot accord my client a legal preliminary hearing.

"This is true because of the fact, that under the law, Judge Bente, in whose court the case is now pending, only has jurisdiction of offenses alleged to have been committed within the corporate limits of the city of Sedalia.

"I suggested that we would like to have the case filed in a court of competent jurisdiction so that we can have a legal hearing. He indicated this would be done.

Will Ask For Date

"When the case is re-filed it is our intention to then ask the court before whom the case is rebrought to set a date for the preliminary hearing," Wesner concluded.

Asked if Holland had anything to say at this time, Wesner replied "I don't think so." Holland who is being held in the county jail without bond, maintains he is innocent of the charge for which he is being held, and has nothing more to say than has already been said.

Close Vacation Bible School

The closing program of the Daily Vacation Bible school of the First Christian church will be given at eight o'clock tonight at the church.

The program follows:

Processional, by the school; flag bearers, Harvey Herrick and Ralph Davis; theme song, "In My Heart There Rings a Melody"; Lord's Prayer and response; school; scripture reading, Matt. 18:19; prayer poem, Tennyson, Pat Van Hoesen; song, "Jesus Loves Me" and "Father, We Thank Thee," kindergarten department. Solo, "The Sweet Story of Old," Barbara Brown; piano solo, "Smiling Eyes," Joyce Burke; Bible alphabet song, "Can a Little Child Like Me," primary department; violin quartet, Beverly Miller, Marva Lee Harbit, Dixie June Thomas and Jean Swegles; dramatization, "Ruth, the Faithful Daughter."

Ruth, Mary Ann Young; Naomi, Delores Pummill; Orpah, Wanda Jean White; Boaz, Jimmie Watts; Kinsman, Myron Herrick; Servant, Niles Sims; Citizens and Gleaners, intermediate and junior girls and boys. Drill, Books of the Bible, junior department; "Church in the Wildwood," story Wanda Jean White, song, junior department; talk, the Rev. Clyde S. Sherman.

Offering; song, "God Will Take of You," intermediate choir, Marva Lee Harbit, Jimmie Watts, Dixie June Thomas, Niles Sims, Pat Van Hoesen, Myron Herrick, Jean Swegles, Jimmie Evans and Barbara Joy; presentation of awards. Mrs. Herbert Selfert; benediction, the Rev. A. W. Kokendoff.

Mrs. C. S. Sherman will be the accompanist, with Mrs. F. B. Piper directing the music.

Lookout Club Elects Officers

The recently organized 4-H club of Lookout held a meeting Friday afternoon at the home of Garry Arnett, at which officers were elected as follows:

President, Bobby Curtis; vice-president, Jimmie Hoke; secretary and treasurer, Katherine Hoke; game and song leader, Edith Lee Curtis; reporter, Garry Arnett; and parliamentarian, Carol Ann Woods.

The subject of roll call was "The Vegetable I Like Best."

Mrs. Mary Roberts, club leader, gave a discussion of 4-H club work and project and recreation plans for the year.

Songs were sung and games played by the group, after which refreshments were served.

The next meeting will be held June 2 at the home of Garry Arnett while the Lookout Extension club holds a "community dry cleaning."

In The Service

MUROC ARMY AIR FIELD, Muroc, Calif., June 2—Cpl. Robert M. Blackburn, stationed at the Muroc Army Air Field, Fourth Air Force, recently completed the qualification course with the Cal. 30 carbine, in which he received the rating of expert. Cpl. Blackburn is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Blackburn, 1329 Holly Avenue, Arcadia, Calif., formerly of Sedalia, Mo.

POPE FIELD, N. C., June 3—Marion C. Dudley, with the Wac Detachment stationed at this installation of the First Troop Cavalry Command, has been promoted to sergeant.

Sgt. Dudley is the daughter of Mr. W. M. Kablar of 1006 East Sixth street, Sedalia, Mo. She was employed as a secretary before entering the army in April, 1943.

AN AIR SERVICE COMMAND STATION, "Somewhere in England"—Cpl. William Richardson, husband of Mrs. William Richardson, of Beaman, Mo., is now overseas, helping to "keep 'em flying" with the Aircraft Section of a large Air Service Command depot "somewhere in England."

Cpl. Richardson and the men of this section help to keep our combat planes the best in the aerial battle being fought in the skies over Germany by adding the most up-to-date improvements to ships after the new inventions are perfected.

Cpl. Richardson is one of the men recently commended by Lieutenant General Carl Spaatz, Commanding General of the United States Strategic Air Forces in Europe, when production at the depot was increased by over 100 per cent.

Before entering the army, he was employed by the Missouri Pacific shops in Sedalia as a machinist apprentice.

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Mrs. Carl Arnett, 1600 South Lamine avenue, has received word that her husband, Staff Sgt. Carl W. Arnett of the air corp has received the Mediterranean theater of operation medal with one star for work done in a combat zone recently. Sgt. Arnett reports that he is well and receives his mail regularly. He has been in North Africa since March 1.

Mrs. John W. Small has received word that her husband, Staff Sgt. John W. Small, has arrived safely in Hawaii. Mrs. Small, who has been with him at Camp Rucker, Ala., until about a month ago when he was sent overseas, is at her home here 117 South Grand avenue.

S/Sgt. Richard Witcig, of the medical corps in the army, has been transferred from Camp Carson, Colo., to Fort Benning, Ga., his sister, Mrs. Charles Cooper, 510 East Thirteenth street, has learned.

Word has been received from W. L. Mason, Jr., formerly of Smithton telling of his safe arrival in England. He is a grandson of the late Fred Green, formerly of Smithton.

GULFPORT ARMY AIR FIELD, GULFPORT, Miss.—Corporal Robert H. Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar J. Smith, 1210 South Ohio street, Sedalia, Mo., has reported at this Third Air Force bomber base for an intensive training course as an engineer.

End Today Of The Camporee

Boy Scouts Will Have Members Of Families Guests

The three-day Boy Scout Camporee for the Sedalia district, being held at Camp Colin P. Kelly, Jr., on the State Fair Grounds, will close this afternoon at a program to which the public is invited.

This morning the 175 encamped boys will come into Sedalia for church services. Upon their return, the troops will have their families as guests at a picnic at one of the camps after which the awards and badges of achievement will be presented in the afternoon closing program.

At the campfire program Saturday night, with a good attendance equal to Friday night's 300, eleven patrols demonstrated various phases of first aid, including the treatment of fractures.

At the close of the flag ceremony, Harry Lambirth, chief of the Camporee, asked the Scouts to stand in a moment's silent prayer for those members of the troops who are now in the armed forces. Taps was played in conclusion.

Scouting Activities

During the last two days the campers have worked in the various Scouting activities, being judged in their efficiency at rope-making, rope-tying, woodwork, signaling, and in sporting fetes. Albert Steiner, athletic coach, was chief of the judges. This afternoon's awards will be based on the contests of the encampment.

The campers also will be judged on their cleanliness and orderliness in cooking and caring for their tents.

The Camporee, smaller than it might have been in pre-war years, is considered very successful, with ten local troops represented. Charles Maggard is program chairman and publicity chairman is Frank Hanigan.

Historical Cane In County Museum

A cane which was carried first by Rev. Solomon Sharp, who was one of the first Methodist preachers in the United States, was loaned by Royce B. Hinkle, Little Rock, Ark., former Sedalia, to Rev. J. Fred King, for exhibit by the Pettis County Historical Society at the county house.

Rev. Solomon Sharp, who was Mr. Hinkle's great grandfather, was born in 1767 and died in 1835. He was pastor of St. George's church in Philadelphia, Pa., in 1803 and 1804.

Anniversary Dinner Tuesday

The United Service Organization Council of Sedalia is sponsoring a Service Recognition banquet, in honor of all who have served through this USO, at the First Christian church, Tuesday night, at 6:30 o'clock. It is also the occasion of the one hundred and first anniversary of the Y. M. C. A., which organization is operating agency for the local USO.

Chaplain William H. Lewis, Sedalia Army Air Field base chaplain, will be the principal speaker, and in addition there will be special music and a program.

Son Of Mr. And Mrs. Mewes Named Robert Eugene

The son born to Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Mewes, route 3, Sedalia, at Bothwell hospital on May 31, has been given the name Robert Eugene. He weighed seven and three-fourth pounds. The mother is the former Miss Gladys Lucile Wheeler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Wheeler, route 4, Sedalia. The father is employed at the SAAF in the supply department. They have a daughter, Lydia Marie, aged eight years.

gunner on a B-17 Flying Fortress. Selected for this important assignment after stringent examinations Corporal Smith will be a member of a ten-man crew who will live and work together under simulated battle conditions. Upon completion of training, the crew will be ready for duty on the fighting fronts.

He became a member of the armed forces at Ft. Leavenworth, Kas., on March 30, 1943. Prior to that, he was employed by the Federal Mogul Auto Parts Service in Kansas City.

T/Sgt. Welton Teter, grandson of Mrs. George Green, Smithton, has notified relatives here that he has arrived safely in England. Welton is in the Army Air Corps.

Bluejacket John Sherman Cover, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Chester Cover, 520 East Thirteenth street, Sedalia, graduated recently from the Naval Training school (Diesel) at the University of Illinois, Urbana, Ill., with recognition as eligible to qualify for the petty officer rate of motor machinist's mate third class after further experience at his new duty either at sea or at some shore station.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Conn, 820 West Third street, were notified Wednesday of the promotion of their eldest son, Russell Conn, from rank of sergeant to that of staff sergeant. He became a sergeant on April 1 and is now stationed at Camp McCoy, Wis.

Bible School Opens Monday at Dresden

The Union Vacation Bible school of the Dresden Baptist and Methodist churches will begin Monday, June 5, at 2:15 p. m. at the Methodist church.

All children in the community are invited to attend. Classes for children of beginner, primary, junior and intermediate ages will be held.

The Rev. L. C. Robinson, pastor of the Baptist church will be in charge, with workers of both churches assisting.

COMMUNITY NEWS from— Cole Camp

By Mrs. Henry T. Junge

Mrs. S. B. Young, near Warsaw, visited over the week-end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Kullman and with other friends.

"Corky" Duncan, who is employed in Kansas City, spent the week-end with his grandmother and aunt, Mrs. Emma Tubesing and daughter, Mildred.

Mrs. Claus Steffens received word recently that her son-in-law, Ora Jacobs, of Canton, Ill., had died.

Mr. and Mrs. Merlin Meier and son, Donald Merlin, of Kansas City, spent the week-end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. August Meier and with Mrs. Lena Dump in the home of Mrs. Laura Kreisel.

Mrs. Joe Calfee and daughter are visiting this week near Warsaw in the home of Mrs. S. B. Young.

Miss Emilyann Taylor, who has been attending college in Springfield, Mo., is spending her vacation with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. L. A. Taylor.

A large crowd attended Memorial services at Union Church Sunday morning and afternoon.

Miss Viola Carrico, of Kansas City, visited over the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Carrico.

The Rev. Stephen Gardner was the speaker at Union Church services Sunday.

Ed. Luebber, of Lexington, Mo., visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Luebber, two days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gregir, of Kansas City, are the parents of a son born Thursday, May 25. He has been given the name Barry Douglas. Mrs. Gregir was before her marriage Miss Sylvia Lee Schwensen, of Cole Camp. The baby weighed six pounds 13 ounces.

The little daughter of Pvt. and Mrs. Karl Tuck was christened in Trinity Lutheran church Sunday morning by the Rev. H. J. Gerike and was given the name Karla Ranae. The father is stationed in New Caledonia. The mother and daughter are making their home at present with Mrs. Tuck's parents and brother, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Muller and Robert Muller.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Luebber, of Lexington, Mo., are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Luebber and other relatives. Mr. Luebber is on his vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Orel Schnakenberg and Miss Opal Tucker attended the graduation of Francis Gerken in Concordia last Friday. Francis is spending this week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gerken, and other relatives and friends. He will leave Sunday for Springfield, Mo., where he will attend college.

Miss Amy Linville, of Jefferson City, spent the first part of the week with her mother, Mrs. Laura Linville.

Walter Burke, of Kansas City, Mo., visited with his mother, Mrs. Anna Burke, and other relatives the first part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Parks and son, of Kansas City, spent the week-end in the home of C. L. Parks and Mrs. Amy Graham.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Battman, of Odessa, Mo., spent two days this week with Mrs. Battman's mother, Mrs. William Lumpe, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Eckhoff, of Kansas City, spent the week-end in Cole Camp.

Mrs. Anna Eckhoff, Mrs. Earl Pickett and children, Mr. and Mrs. George Eckhoff and son, Wayne, were Sunday dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Brauer.

Mrs. Howard Gill and son, Jerry, of Kansas City, visited this week in the home of Mrs. H. B. Harms and daughter, Opal.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Otten and family, Gene Eckhoff and Jerry Gill visited Sunday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schwensen and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Brauer were in Warrensburg, Mo., Sunday evening where they met their son, Leo Edward Brauer, of Paris, Ky. The latter had thought he would be inducted into the army, but was notified that he did not have to go.

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Obituaries

Irl H. Hotsenpiller

Irl H. Hotsenpiller, of Ottaville, aged 52, a World War I veteran, died early Saturday morning at the U. S. Veterans' hospital, Wadsworth, Kas. He had been ill several months.

Hotsenpiller, who was an electrician by trade, was born near Smithton, son of David Madison and Sally Hotsenpiller. He had been employed in Sedalia at various times, but worked most of the time, prior to his illness, in his home neighborhood. He held the rank of First Sergeant in the army in World War I.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Myrta Reardon Hotsenpiller, a daughter, Mrs. A. M. Neumeyer, Ottaville, a son, Lieut. James Hotsenpiller, serving in Ireland, three sisters, Mrs. Grace Arni, Ottaville, Mrs. Walter Burck, St. Louis and Miss Nora Hotsenpiller, 519 West Fourth street, Sedalia.

Funeral services will be held at 10:00 o'clock Tuesday morning at the home of Mrs. Grace Arni, in Ottaville.

Orville Crist Broadbuss

Orville Crist Broadbuss, aged 73 years, Thirty-fourth street and Washington avenue, passed away at 2:35 o'clock Friday afternoon at the Bothwell hospital after a lingering illness.

He was born September 4, 1871, at Walnut Hill, Ohio, and at an early age moved with his parents to Missouri, locating on a farm near Buncheon. For the past several years he has resided in Sedalia.

He was married on March 18, 1896, to Miss Ella I. Stinger at the Presbyterian church in Tipton, Mo.

Surviving him are the following children: Caryl Broadbuss, of Platte City, Mo., Loren E. Broadbuss, Thirty-fourth street and Washington avenue, Everett E. Broadbuss, of Kansas City, and Sylvester U. Broadbuss, of Hollywood, Calif. Six grandchildren survive. A daughter, Thelma I. Broadbuss, and a son, William C. Broadbuss, preceded him in death.

He leaves one brother, Dr. B. E. Broadbuss, 916 West Fifth street, and two sisters, Mrs. C. E. Wisecup, Yonkers, N. Y., and Mrs. D. R. Bruce, St. Louis, Mo.

Funeral services will be held at 2:00 p. m. Monday at McLaughlin's chapel, with the Rev. Herman M. Janssen, pastor of the Broadway Presbyterian church, officiating. Mrs. G. V. Sneed will have charge of the music.

Friends who will serve as pallbearers are G. B. Cook, Emil Hagemier, George Putman, Bryan Howe, W. H. Glasgow and E. S. Shortridge.

The body will remain at McLaughlin's funeral home until the hour of services.

Mr. Broadbuss was married March 18, 1896, to Miss Ella I. Stinger, who preceded him in death August 21, 1943.

Mrs. Nancy Virginia Ashbrook

Mrs. Nancy Virginia Ashbrook, aged 94 years, died late Friday afternoon at her home at 701 North Grand avenue, after several months illness.

For 55 years she had lived in Pettis county, and she had resided in Sedalia for 24 years at the home in which she died.

Surviving are four daughters, Mrs. Lula McBroom and Mrs. Josephine Buckley, of Kansas City; Mrs. Margaret Schmidt, of Sedalia; and Mrs. Amanda Bennett, of the home; and two sons, James Homer Ashbrook, of the home, and Ed A. Ashbrook, of St. Louis.

The body is at McLaughlin's chapel.

Lieut. Tubesing Is Missing

First Lieut. Walter Tubesing, former Ionia boy, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Tubesing of Cole Camp, has been missing in action since May 11 according to a message received from the War Department by his wife.

Lieut. Tubesing was flying a bomber from South America to Africa and on May 27 Mrs. Tubesing received a message telling her that the search had been abandoned.

Memorial services will be conducted in St. Louis on June 11, where Mrs. Tubesing now resides.

Lieut. Tubesing was born on a farm southwest of Ionia and grew to manhood in that community. He was married to Miss Lorena Brockman.

Pvt. Kingsbury Is Missing

Pvt. Roderick M. Kingsbury, 26 year old Negro, has been missing in action in the Pacific since May 26, according to a message Saturday from the war department to his mother, Mrs. Fredonia Kingsbury, 418 North Montebau avenue.

Pvt. Kingsbury was one of the first two young men to volunteer in Pettis County. He sailed for overseas on June 15, 1942.

He is a graduate of Hubbard high school and attended Lincoln university.

He is a son of Roderick Kingsbury, 111 West Johnson. He has two sisters, Mrs. Gwendolyn Garratt, Chicago, and Miss Viva Kingsbury, a teacher in Kansas City, Kas.

His mother, with whom he lived is director of the General Davis USO in Sedalia.

COMMUNITY NEWS from— Hughesville

Mrs. Harold Conway

Lieut. and Mrs. Sam Tuck and children, Jean and Frank, who recently came here from Arizona, have been guests in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Tom McCarty and Mr. and Mrs. Leland Tuck of Houstonia. Lieut. Tuck has now gone to Nebraska and will be joined later by his wife and children.

May 22 marked the 60th anniversary of Mrs. Louella McClure to the late Das McClure.

Mrs. Joe Ferguson is at her home here making arrangements to go to Kansas City to live.

Mrs. Ann Green of Texas has spent the past few weeks with her brother, Harry Skinner.

Mrs. Edwin Hemphill is visiting Mr. and Mrs. O. Kincheloe, Mr. and Mrs. George Hemphill and her brother, Junior Kincheloe in Mexico, Mo.

Dr. and Mrs. C. P. Cartwright and son, Tom, were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cartwright of Sedalia.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Powell have received announcement of the birth of a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Powell of Appleton City.

Out-of-town persons here for Memorial services were Dr. and Mrs. Garnet Hopkins and children, Billy and Betty, of Warrensburg; Mrs. Earl Potkwell and Mrs. Herb Showers of Kansas City; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Green of Jefferson City; and Mr. and Mrs. Milton Chamberlain and daughters, Martha Ann and Clara Louise, of Ulrich.

New Assistant Base Chaplain

SEDALIA ARMY AIR FIELD, June 3, 1944—Chaplain Robert R. Joynt has been named assistant base chaplain of Troop Carrier Command Sedalia Army Air Field.

The Chaplain, formerly of Emmetsburg, Iowa, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Davis Joynt of that city. Prior to his entering the service, the Chaplain had his parish at Corpus Christi, Fort Dodge, Iowa.

Chaplain Joynt is a graduate of Trinity College, Sioux City, Iowa, and the Kenrick Seminary of St. Louis, Mo.

He joined the service on June 9, 1943, and has been stationed at Fighter Wing Headquarters, Los Angeles, California, before getting his orders to report to the Troop Carrier Base in Sedalia.

An avid sportsman, Chaplain Joynt formerly coached boxing, baseball, basketball, and football at the Corpus Christi High school in Fort Dodge, Iowa.

New Ordinance Is Effective

The City Collector is daily disposing of a few city auto license stickers, which went on sale last month, and on which the deadline has been set for June 15. Before a purchaser may obtain a sticker their personal or advaloram tax must be paid for 1943 and prior years. This is a new ruling, provided for by ordinance, and put in effect for the first time this year. It has been the means of bringing in considerable money in taxes which otherwise might have been delinquent.

The City Collector states there has been no objection to enforcement of the ordinance. The purchasers whose personal taxes have not been made, it is said, pay willingly when told that must be done before they receive a sticker.

Estel L. Curnutt Is Made Ensign

Estel Lee Curnutt, son of Mrs. Carl Swisher, north of Knob Noster, has received his commission as ensign at the Naval Aviation Training Center in Corpus Christi, Tex., and is now a flying officer. Before entering the Navy in February, 1943, Ensign Curnutt was graduated from the Knob Noster high school and attended Central Business College in Kansas City. He is spending a 15-day leave with his mother and family.

Bond On Left Hand Turn

T. W. Peters, route 4, Sedalia, posted \$1 cash bond at police headquarters Friday after his arrest for making a left hand turn in his car at Third street and Ohio avenue.

Court House Clock Clicks And Strikes Again

With the erroneous report of the "Invasion of France" and the vibrant ring of the County Court House clock, Saturday afternoon, the telephones of the Democrat-Capital were kept busy for a few minutes by persons calling to ascertain if a celebration had started and if the report was true.

The tolling of the county clock was not for a celebration, but a workman oiling up the cogs, twisting the hands around, and oiling the machinery to make the striking device click the hour and half hour time.

So quiet have been the nights for more than a year, the striking of the huge bell on the clock broke the silence and disturbed some of the sleepers in the Bothwell Hotel.

"They'll get used to it in time," said a Sedalian resting on one of the chairs in front of the hotel. It will be a pleasure to glance to the top of the court house from the west again and see the time of day or night.

Bound Over to Criminal Court

Frank "Lovey" Braden,

Ordinance On Lease Passed By Council

Contract With Jack Funk For Airport Use

An ordinance, providing for a contract to lease about 173 acres of the Sedalia airport, west of the city, to Jack Funk, for a period of three years, was passed by the city council, meeting in regular session Monday night. Funk is to use the field for the operation of a flying school. He is to pay the city the sum of \$1 per year, maintain a guard there twenty-four hours a day, provide oil and gas service for any planes that might land, and has posted \$3,000 bond for the payment of \$100 per month should he fail to live up to the requirements in the agreement. The contract is flexible in that if at any time the city has an opportunity for increased development of the field for use by the army, navy, or by the large airline companies, Mr. Funk can be removed from the field within thirty days, or at even a shorter time if necessary.

Alderman H. Young, Frank Middleton, Frank Royce, Herbert Seifert and Leo Eickhoff voted for the proposition, Richard Keenan and John F. Taylor voted no, and A. L. Pringle did not vote.

There was a large crowd at the meeting, both men and women, most of them interested in the action on the airport.

After the vote had been taken there was considerable discussion from the floor. It began when Charles M. Van Dyne, who was president of the Chamber of Commerce when the airport was started, thanked the mayor and council, telling them he thought the city was taking a step forward and that a big thing had been done for Sedalia. E. M. Stafford, Jr., who as a member of the Chamber of Commerce, was on the airport committee, reiterated Mr. Van Dyne's statements, giving it as his opinion the council had taken a step in the right direction, for the people as a whole had voted 11 to 1 they wanted an airport.

Keenan Speaks
Keenan then took the floor, telling of his objections to the lease, terming the flying school a private industry, objecting to the caucuses in which he said the matter had been discussed and to which the "Pharisees and Scribes" had been invited, but not the multitudes. He said the reference to \$1,000 in money in the airport fund to be used towards development of the field was incorrect, that there was about \$1,300, and with reference to civilians using the field, he didn't know what business civilians had using gasoline for airplanes when people who really needed gasoline for cars couldn't get it.

Mayor Wilks replied to his caucuses reference by stating that it is often necessary to discuss affairs before they are taken up in council meetings, because sometimes they have no reference to city affairs at all and would just waste time if brought up.

Leo Eickhoff, councilman, said they were certainly not trying to hide anything with reference to the amount of money. There was a little over \$1,000 in the fund, but that only \$1,000 of it was to be used in the development of the project. To that amount the Chamber of Commerce is adding \$2,000, which will be paid back when the crops on the field are harvested.

Invited to Meeting
E. M. Stafford, Jr., arose to say that if he was one of those referred to who had "bulged into the caucus" he was a member of the airport committee, had been invited to the meeting, was asked to come in and sit down, which he did. He assured Mr. Keenan he was not in the habit of going where he was not invited, nor where he thought he was not welcome.

Mr. Van Dyne explained that there had been nothing kept from the public, that the men interested in the airport had only been trying to do something for Sedalia, because after the war a city must have an airport to progress. "Flying schools such as Mr. Funk has," he said, "are located in many cities and it is a step toward further development."

Richard Battles thought the action taken was good, but thought the city should go further and vote a bond issue for enough money to develop the field into a larger one.

Keenan reiterated Battle's statement, referring to a similar statement he (Keenan) had made at a council meeting some weeks ago. He wants an airport, he said, but not a small one, as is being developed.

Other speakers were Fred Ross, who favored the ordinance; John F. Taylor, councilman, who is against it and said he believes the city is making a mistake; Frank Middleton, who said the only time a person fails is when he does not put forth every effort to succeed; Howard Roberts, who took exception to a statement made by Mr. Taylor, who spoke of a shoe factory project which he termed a failure. Mr. Roberts said that he had subscribed \$400 to a shoe factory, that the first one did not work out well, but it was the means of another one coming to Sedalia which is most successful. "I'm not sorry I put my money into the shoe factory," he declared.

Inquiries From Spectators
J. O. Hawley referred to Keenan as the representative of 1,575 men, although Pacific shop employees.

ployees. He said he (Hawley) has a boy on a base close to Japan, but asked as a citizen what aviation would mean to him.

Van Dyne replied to him by stating he should want the field for his son, who would probably fly his own plane after the war. "I don't think he'll ever want to look at a plane," was Hawley's reply.

One onlooker asked why the army had not developed the field as he had been led to believe would be done. It was explained to him that never at any time had it been stated there was any promise from the army. The request for an auxiliary field came from the army, and it had been assured everything possible would be done to have it developed, but by the time the bond election had been held and the land bought, the army had entered upon a retrenchment program and was closing air fields instead of opening new ones.

Council Fixes Tax Levy And The Budget

Levy 65 Cents On \$100 Valuation—Budget \$192,790

The City Council, meeting in regular session Monday night, approved a tax levy of 65 cents on the \$100 valuation, which is five cents more than the 1943 levy. Part of the increase is to pay for the municipal airport bonds and interest, part for the increase in salaries of the appointive city employees. The amounts are divided as follows:

For general expenses of the city	45 cents.
Bothwell Hospital bonds.....	94
Int. on Bothwell hospital bond.....	91
Judgment funding bonds.....	92
Interest on judgment funding bonds.....	93
Armory and Drill Hall bond.....	60 1/2
Interest on Armory and etc. bonds.....	60 1/2
Colored hospital bonds.....	60 1/2
(Sufficient funds in Int. Acc't.)	60 1/2
Municipal Airport bonds.....	62 1/2
Interest on Airport bonds.....	62 1/2
Free public library.....	67
Total.....	55 cents

Submitted by the finance committee, A. L. Pringle chairman. In addition there is a \$2.00 poll tax, a cost to be paid by male citizens between the ages of 21 and 50 years.

The levy was passed with the vote of seven members of the Council, Richard Keenan, of the second ward, stating he was for the levy with the exception of that part that had to do with improvements on the airport.

Budget \$192,792.00
A budget for the control of the financial affairs of the city was submitted, and approved by the council, for the fiscal year of 1944-1945. It is anticipated the revenue will be sufficient to offset the budget expenses of \$192,792.00, which is allocated to each department. This is \$19,000 more than was allowed in the budget last year. It is allocated as follows:

Department	Year
Fire Department.....	\$25,908
Police Department.....	27,672
Streets & Alleys.....	22,188
Sanitary Department.....	8,148
Contingent Acc't.....	16,380
Charity Acc't.....	7,740
Salary Acc't.....	9,108
Public Buildings.....	3,768
Bonds & Interest.....	19,620
Lights & Water.....	29,460
Public Library.....	12,000
Public Parks.....	4,800
Crown Hill Cemetery.....	6,000
Totals.....	\$192,792

Buy Police Uniforms
On motion of Herbert Seifert it was voted to buy thirteen uniforms, blouse, two pairs of pants and a cap, one uniform for each policeman, at a cost of \$48.20, bid by the St. Louis Clothing Co., which had the lowest bid. In addition each police officer will purchase their own shirts, gun and Sam Brown belts. That part of the uniform bought by the city will belong to the city, and will not be taken by the officer should he leave the force.

R. J. Walker, police officer, asked for a leave of absence for one month, stating he wanted to make some repairs on his house. The matter was referred to the police committee.

The resignation of Ray George, appointed by the Mayor as night chief of police, was read and accepted. His successor was not named, but will be chosen later.

During the reading of the bills A. L. Pringle, finance chairman, made objection to bills submitted by the sanitary officer, Raymond Fetters, for trips to the air base. He gave it as his opinion that if it is necessary for Fetters to go to the base to look after affairs, the army can send for him.

Leo Eickhoff reported that the city had rented part of a building it owns on East Third street to J. H. Bagdy for \$40 per month.

Richard Keenan reported on a letter from the state health department, in which the health commissioner said attention should be given in the near future to the city's drainage system, and a consultant engineer should make a complete inspection of it. The recent heavy rains, he said, had caused some damage.

Bothwell Hospital Notes
Louise Brown, Green Ridge, admitted for tonsillotomy.
Mrs. Mollie McDonald, 1500 East Broadway and Mrs. Claude Pinkston, Calhoun, Route 2, admitted for medical treatment.

City Light & Traction Co. Will be Sold

Missouri Public Service Corporation Contracts to Buy

Missouri Public Service Corporation has contracted with Cities Service Power & Light Company, of New York, to purchase City Light & Traction Company, it was announced locally Tuesday by Mr. H. C. Feuers, president of the latter company.

The deal, which is subject to approval of the Securities and Exchange Commission, Philadelphia, and the Missouri Public Service Commission, Jefferson City, involves aggregate financing on the part of the purchaser in the amount of approximately \$2,250,000.

City Light & Traction Company, a Cities Service Power & Light property, was organized in 1912 and has been a Cities Service subsidiary since that time. The sale of the Sedalia property by Cities Service Company is in line with a program to divest itself of all public utility ownership and operation in compliance with the integration requirements of the Holding Company Act passed by Congress in 1935 and now being administered by the Securities and Exchange Commission. When Cities Service Company has completely disposed of its public utility properties it will have satisfied the provisions of the Act and then no longer be subject to that legislation. In the future Cities Service Company will confine its activities to that of a completely integrated international oil company and will also continue to produce and transmit natural gas for sale at wholesale to various communities. The company will also retain its real estate holdings, which are extensive, largely in the East.

Will Refinance Property

It is the plan of the prospective new owners of City Light & Traction Company to refinance the property, liquidate the corporate life of the Company as such, maintain and operate the complete electric, gas, ice and refrigeration service as at present, but as a division of Missouri Public Service Corporation.

It is contemplated that such refinancing in part will be through a new bond issue, at reduced interest rates, to be sold to an institutional investor who is now largely interested in Missouri Public Service Corporation securities.

It is further contemplated that some property now owned and operated by Missouri Public Service will be transferred to the jurisdiction of the Sedalia division, notably the property south of Sedalia along and adjacent to Highway No. 65, including Warsaw, Lincoln, Cole Camp, and intermediate points.

The Sedalia division will continue to serve the Missouri Utilities Company as it has in the past, and also the Central Missouri Co-Operative which serves rural territory in Pettis County. Missouri Utilities Company is a wholesale customer of the Sedalia Company, owned by other interests and serving sixteen towns and communities to the east of Sedalia, the principal towns being Smithton, Otterville, Tipton, Versailles, Eldon, Buncheon, Pilot Grove, Stover, and others.

No Change Here

The Sedalia division will maintain its present contractual relations with Cities Service Gas Company for natural gas supply and with Empire District Electric Company for electric supply, supplementing its Sedalia steam plant operations. It is further contemplated that as soon as priorities for material can be obtained that there will be constructed a physical high voltage connection between the large steam plant of Missouri Public Service Corporation at Clinton coal mines and the present high voltage line serving Sedalia from the south. This, it is stated, will assure the Sedalia and Warrensburg divisions mutual additional service capacity and protection.

Other than a change in name of the Sedalia division, it is not the intent of the new ownership to make any shift of Sedalia division management or organization, or to modify service policies which have been developed by the present owners. The local organization and payroll will necessarily be somewhat increased, together with managerial responsibilities, in the transfer of certain property operations, as previously pointed out, from the Warrensburg to Sedalia division.

Missouri Directors

Missouri Public Service is under the direction of officers and directors of Missouri residence. Mr. Ralph Green, of Warrensburg, is president and a director of the Company. The other members of the Board of Directors are A. G. Smith, Nevada, Charles Czeschin, Warrensburg, Dr. Harry L. Parker, Warrensburg, and H. S. Payson Rowe, of Springfield, Massachusetts. Mr. Green has recently acquired control by purchase of Missouri Gas & Electric Service Company, with headquarters at Lexington, Missouri, which furnishes electric services to forty cities and towns and the principal cities served being Lexington, Marshall, Richmond, Liberty, West Plains, Platte City, and All of the property controlled in 1943.

by Mr. Green and associates will be included in a closely integrated system in the western part of Missouri, the most northerly town being Trenton, and the most southerly, Nevada, with Sedalia on the east and Lee's Summit on the west.

COMMUNITY NEWS from—

Windsor

Mrs. W. T. Jordan
Mrs. Pearl Buford, of Alaska, has been visiting Mrs. Mollie Keller.

Lloyd Merryfield and Elbert Marti of the Navy came home last week on a furlough.

Misses Nellie and Lelia Thompson came Monday evening from Kansas City for Memorial Day. Mrs. C. W. Richardson arrived home Sunday from Ellinburg, Kas., where she had been visiting at the home of her son, F. W. Richardson.

The regular Rainbow meeting was held last Thursday evening at the Masonic Hall. There were two candidates, Majorie Houseworth and Norma Jean Acker.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Riffle and Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Riffle of Kansas City spent the week-end with Mrs. Mattie Wilkerson.

Mrs. J. W. Hodson left for Fairbury, Neb., to visit her daughter, Mrs. Robert Edney.

Mrs. Lydia Garrett of Pryor, Okla., is a guest of Miss Mary Churchill.

Mrs. Parks Ball who has been visiting relatives in and near Windsor leaves the latter part of the week for her home in Mangrove, Okla.

Mrs. R. F. Salmon, died early Saturday morning, May 27, after only a few hours illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Stone spent the week-end in Johnson county. Clarence leaves June 5th for induction into the service. Mrs. Stone will reside with her parents.

Miss Jean Sutherland was hostess to the H. B. M. club. A potluck supper was served. Extra guests present were Mrs. R. L. Irvine, Mrs. Carter Oakes, and Janet Sutherland.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Webb were called to Garden City last week by the death of Mrs. Webb's aunt, Mrs. F. J. Suffelcool.

Mrs. Paul Bradley and Mrs. Kenneth Marti gave a bridge party in honor of Mrs. James Deakins. Bridge was played at three tables. A dessert course was served prior to the games. Mrs. Wesley Allen received high scoring award, Mrs. Henry Hendrickson got high.

Mrs. Henry Hendrickson entertained her club recently. Extra guests present were Mesdames Frank Silver, Jimmie Silver, John Patterson, Eldon Sutherland Jr., Bob Moss, Fred Wenzelried, Fred McAllister and Misses Grace Wharton and Jean Sutherland.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Williams of Hannibal and Miss Anne Epperson went to Garden City to attend the funeral of Mrs. William's aunt, Mrs. Suffelcool.

Many at Dance Saturday Night

The anniversary dance given by the USO Saturday night at Convention hall, Liberty park, was attended by about two hundred.

Music was furnished by the USO orchestra and clever favors of pink and blue were the work of Miss Dorothy Church.

Refreshments were served by women of the Calvary Episcopal church. The table was centered with a bowl of red roses on either side of which were tall white tapers and at each end a large birthday cake in honor of all those whose birthday is during the anniversary period. The cakes were made by Miss Evelyn Beach and Miss Alice Gudery.

The committee was composed of Miss Alma Kurtz, chairman, Miss Mildred Brackman, Miss Alice Gudery and Miss Dorothy Church.

The long distance telephone call home, given to a soldier during the evening, went to Staff Sgt. J. P. Step, who called his home in Sweetwater, Tenn.

SAAF Gliders Lose Ball Game

SEDALIA ARMY AIR FIELD, June 5—After winning their first three games of the season, the Sedalia Army Air Field Gliders lost their fourth by a score of 9 to 4 to the Missouri Valley college team.

Scoring seven runs in the fourth inning, the Missouri Valley club made the most of two errors, four hits and a walk given up by the Troop Carrier Gliders.

Joe Wenkus went in as a relief twirler for Cpl. Mel Breslin and stopped the rally.

Making a strong bid to get back into the game, the Gliders staged a two-run rally in the eighth. McConnell tripled and Pigott singled for the Sedalians to score two runs. Bib Johnson went the route for Missouri, which is composed of V-12 Navy pilots.

Recognition Given

Charles F. Maggard of the Milton Coal and Heating company has been presented with a gold Iron Fireman Pioneer emblem by the Iron Fireman manufacturing company. This button was awarded in recognition of his fifteen years of service in the stoker organization. Maggard is one of 164 members of the company's dealer staff who received this recognition in 1943.

Identify Bodies Of Crash Dead

Search Scene For Belongings Of Four Losing Lives

The bodies of a crew of four killed in the crash of a C-47 transport plane from the Sedalia Army Air Field late Monday afternoon near Fayette, Mo., were identified Tuesday and the next of kin have been notified.

The men killed, according to Lieut. James Battersby, public relations officer at the base, were:

Second Lieut. John L. Webb, 24, pilot, route 1, La Cross, Va., next of kin, Mrs. Francis P. Webb, mother; Second Lieut. G. W. Renneman, 21, co-pilot, 48-12 261st street, Great Neck, N. Y., next of kin, G. W. Renneman, Sr., father; Pfc. Pearl Phillips, Jr., 19, crew chief, Gobles, Mich., next of kin, Mrs. Julia Phillips, mother; Pfc. James Elliot, 20, radio operator-mechanic, route 5, Tyler, Texas, next of kin, Iler F. Elliot, father.

Wreckage Over Wide Area

No report has yet been made by an official investigating board of military authorities concerning the cause of the accident.

Wreckage was strewn over a wide area at the scene of the crash two and a half miles south of Fayette. The transport ship dropped out of a formation of 14 other planes, quickly lost altitude, careened into a wooded section near Bonne Femme creek, and appeared to explode after hitting the trees, witnesses related. All aboard were killed.

The bodies were brought to Sedalia to the Gillespie funeral home. Disposition will be in accordance with wishes of the next of kin, with military escorts accompanying the bodies to the places of burial.

Lieut. Col. Carl T. Doeing, commanding officer of the station hospital, and 40 enlisted men from SAAF were at the crash scene Tuesday searching for personal belongings of the crew and for valuable instruments which could be salvaged, returning to the field Tuesday night.

Program Given At Air Field

Five Sedalians presented a program last night at the Sedalia Army Air Field service club and the base hospital, under the sponsorship of the USO recreational division.

Participants were Abe Rosenthal, conductor of the Sedalia Symphony orchestra, his daughter, Joann Rosenthal, Mrs. Buford Bettis, Billy Meuschke and Gordon Capes.

The program, with Meuschke serving as master of ceremonies, was as follows:

"Play Fiddle Play"—Mr. Rosenthal, violin; Miss Rosenthal, piano and Mrs. Bettis, vocalist.

"Kiss Me Again" and "Mighty Like a Rose," Mrs. Bettis, soprano.

"Dark Eyes" and "Park Avenue Fantasy"—Joann Rosenthal, piano solos.

Induction skit—Billy Meuschke and Gordon Capes.

"Spanish Dance," "Poem" and "Stormy Weather"—Abe Rosenthal, violin solos.

"Smoke Gets in Your Eyes"—Mrs. Bettis, Mr. Rosenthal, Miss Rosenthal.

Bible School Closed Friday

The Vacation Bible school of the East Sedalia Baptist church closed Friday with the commencement program Friday evening.

The school had an enrollment of 123, with an average attendance of 97.

A picnic was held Wednesday at Liberty park with ninety-three attending.

The commencement program opened with the call to worship verse followed by the school motto and pledges to the flags and Bible. The pledges were led by Wilma Schilb.

The department superintendents were introduced by the principal of the school, Mrs. Nelson LeBegue. They were: Junior department, Mrs. Ray Crosslin; primary department, Mrs. Maude McKee; beginners, Mrs. Leslie Long; general pianist and secretary, Doris Stott; music teacher, Miss Marjorie Beazley; other workers, Mrs. C. A. Stanley, Thelma Homan, Betty Hartley, Laverne Thomas, Pauline Willis, Betty Guyman, Mrs. Brock, Mrs. Lacey Smith, Mrs. Allee, Mrs. George Williams, Mrs. Edwards, Mrs. Clyde Waters, Mrs. Edwin Sands, Bill Smith and Junior Hartley.

Pray In Churches Invasion Day

In accordance with the Allied nations' united prayers for success in the advent of invasion military operations, the churches of Sedalia were open to the townspeople throughout the day Tuesday so that worshipers might enter at any hour, with several special services in the evening.

In some instances churches were opened long before daylight, and most of them remained unlocked through the night.

COMMUNITY NEWS from—

Fortuna

By MRS. EVA SHORES

Mr. and Mrs. R. Foxworthy and children and Mrs. Thelma Paxson, of Limon, Colo., and Mr. and Mrs. Hall Foxworthy and children, of Pittsfield, Ill., are guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Foxworthy, and daughters, Vivian and Anna Lou.

Mrs. Ada Drake and daughter, Mrs. Walter S. Simmons, of Kansas City, were guests here over the week-end of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Rimel. Mrs. Homer Chambers and son, John Drake, who have spent the past week here with their grandparents, returned to Kansas City with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Hobert Hutchison and children, Mr. and Mrs. Preston Hutchison and son, Larry, of Versailles, Mrs. Russel Gates and son, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hutchison and daughters and Mrs. Glenn Drake were dinner guests Sunday of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Hutchison. Mr. and Mrs. Morris Short and children, of New York, were guests in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnel Kloss and daughter, of Kansas City, were guests here last week of her mother, Mrs. Lillie Gaba, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Rimel and Mrs. Gerald Rimel and son, Billy, were visitors in California Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Fannie Howard and children, Bob and Mamie, of near Latham, were guests Saturday of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Foxworthy and daughters.

Friends here have received word of the birth of a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Jewell Basinger, of Latham. Mrs. Basinger is the former Miss Fannie Campbell, a former resident of this community.

Miss Melvina Ball, of Kansas City, spent the week-end here with her mother, Mrs. Roy Richardson, and Mr. Richardson and children.

Mrs. Herman Robertson and Beverly Palmer, of Kansas City, were guests here Sunday of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Russel Palmer and their sister, Mrs. Ralph Foxworthy, and Mr. Foxworthy.

Mr. and Mrs. George Worley and children, of Wichita, Kas., are guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Milburn Worley. Another guest over the week-end was Miss Rose Kothryn Worley, of Warrensburg.

Mrs. Okal Embry and daughter, of Tipton, were guests over the week-end of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Hofstetter.

Estil Dean Mummert, of Tipton, was a guest from Friday until Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Mummert and children.

The Rev. John L. Ricketts, of Tipton, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Bridges and son, Billy, and Mrs. Edna Bridges were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Gregory Woods and daughter, Naomi.

Mr. and Mrs. John Devine and Mr. and Mrs. Jess Ferguson attended a fish fry Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fassler, near Tipton.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnel Kloss and daughter and Dr. and Mrs. A. Lewis and daughter, of Kansas City, are spending their vacation here at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Kopp and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Maupin, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Mummert, of Syracuse, Estil Dean Mummert, of Tipton, Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Hofstetter, Mrs. Okal Embry and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Mummert and children enjoyed an ice cream supper Saturday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Gishean and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Bertie Cox, of Sedalia, were guests Monday afternoon of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Thixton.

Mrs. Gilbert Petree and children, of Versailles, were Sunday guests of Mrs. Arabella Petree and daughters, Lois Delene Petree and Mrs. Robert Patton.

Mrs. Louise Jones and son, Phil, were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Maupin and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Walters and son, Gary, near McGirk and Mr. and Mrs. Morris Lammert and children were guests Sunday of Mrs. Chloee Wilson.

Gene Kennedy, who has employment in Kansas City, spent the week-end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mart Kennedy.

Mr. and Mrs. Ora Atkins, of Sedalia, were guests Saturday of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Fowler.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Hardiman and daughter, Madeline, and son, Lester, Burl Worley were guests Tuesday of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Osick, in Centertown.

Leon B. Neal, boatswain's mate I/C, who has spent the past nine months in the South Pacific is spending a 30-day leave here with his wife and daughter at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Foley.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence and daughter, of Topeka, Kas., were guests Tuesday night of her sister, Mrs. Herman Haldiman, Mr. Haldiman and children.

Miss Erma Lee Carter, who is attending school in Warrensburg, was a guest over the week-end of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Carter.

Pvt. Homer Chambers, of Indiana, visited here over the week-end with his wife and son at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Rimel.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ed Kays are guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Hays. He has spent the past year in England with the army medical corps.

Close Playgrounds For A Free Swim

Each Monday from 1:30 to 3:30 the school playgrounds will be closed so that children may go to Liberty Park for a free swim in the park pool. This is being made possible through the courtesy of the pool manager, Tony Spurlock, and the various P-T-A organizations.

Last Monday there were 105 swimmers. It is hoped that the 200 mark will be reached later in the summer.

• Obituaries

Mrs. Mavis J. Miller
Mrs. Mavis Josephine Miller, 34, sister of Miss Marie Randall, 1610 West Broadway, died Tuesday morning at her home in Cincinnati, O.

Miss Randall plans to attend funeral services, to be held in Omaha, Neb., definite arrangements for which have not yet been made.

John Fredrick Aldred

John Fredrick Aldred, who resided six miles west of Sedalia, died in Bethany hospital, Kansas City, Kas., at 3 o'clock Tuesday morning. He had been in ill health the past several years.

Mr. Aldred, son of the late Milton Aldred and Anna Aldred, is survived by his mother, a brother, Russell Aldred, in military service stationed at Norfolk, Va.; and five sisters, Mrs. Georgia Taylor and Mrs. Eleta Relaford, Kansas City, Mo.; and Mrs. Ruth Hays, Mrs. Nellie Catherman and Mrs. Dorothy Young, Kansas City, Kas.

The body is at the Parker funeral home in La Monte, where funeral services will be held. No plans have been made, pending word from the brother at Norfolk.

Burial will be in Crown Hill cemetery, Sedalia.

Robert E. Shy

Miss Nina Lacey, 1321 West Tenth street, received a message Tuesday afternoon telling of the death in Mountain View of her uncle, Robert E. Shy, former Pettis county. The message did not state the time of his death.

Harry Lee Hamm

Harry Lee Hamm, 63, retired mail carrier, died at 5:30 o'clock Monday evening at his home, 903 East Seventh street, after an illness of four months.

Mr. Hamm, who was a veteran of the Spanish-American

German Reserves Fail To Halt The Allied Advance

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lief forces have not been driven back from any position, headquarters made known. One Allied division has taken more than 1,000 prisoners. Ten German divisions have been identified in the fighting.

Caen was described as heavily defended and "a tough nut."

Since dawn Tuesday, 176 enemy aircraft were listed as destroyed in air combat, while the Allies have lost 289 in the same period, including unarmed troop-carriers and transports.

Locations attacked by the planes indicated expansion of the Allied hold on Normandy.

In Washington Secretary of War Stimson said the beaches were in a 100-mile strip between the Cherbourg peninsula and the Seine river mouth and that the Allies were beating back repeated counterattacks which were expected to become intensified.

The supreme Allied commander, Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower, back from a beachhead tour, expressed full confidence in the Allies' ability to continue with the second phase of the campaign on schedule. His confidence was clearly reflected by all concerned at headquarters.

Warning On Coastal Waters

Presaging possible new Allied attacks elsewhere in Europe, the BBC, the American Broadcasting Station in Europe and North Africa stations warned the people of Norway, Denmark, Holland, Belgium and France not to fish in coastal waters from 9 p. m., Thursday night until 9 p. m., a week later, lest they "hinder the operations of the Allied forces."

The Germans about the same time broadcast that reconnaissance had shown "great concentrations of shipping in English ports farther north, including the Bristol channel, the Irish sea and Scotland."

The German radio acknowledged that Bayeux had fallen, as announced by the Allies early Thursday; that fighting now was raging five miles south and southwest of Bayeux; that two additional Allied airborne divisions had landed Thursday by daylight north of Bayeux; that fighting was heavy east of Bayeux, where 10 Allied divisions were reported massed; and that the entire battle of France was "growing in depth."

The Germans also acknowledged that at present their forces were on the defensive, and that fighting was going on inside the town of Caen, nine miles inland.

The Nazi-controlled Paris radio estimated present Allied strength in Normandy at 20 divisions, compared with 12 reported by the German radio a few hours earlier.

The Germans claimed the channel islands of Jersey and Guernsey had been cleared of Allied invaders. The Allies never have mentioned any landings there.

Adolf Hitler's own newspaper, the Volkischer Beobachter, told the German people that success for the Allied invasion would "simply mean the end." German German papers for the first time in the war published an Allied communique, the communique No. 1 from supreme headquarters of the Allied expeditionary force, announcing the invasion.

Landings Continue

Allied landings on the beaches continued constantly across a moderating sea while troops already inland beat back repeated German counter attacks and captured numbers of Nazi "beetle" tanks and self-propelled "Hornet" guns. Against the Nazi piece-meal attacks which were the fore-runners of expected major counter-moves, the American, British and Canadian troops were reported holding or pushing back the enemy everywhere.

American heavy bombers Thursday morning blasted rail facilities and airfields at Rennes, Le Mans, Laval, Tours, Angers and Nantes, ranging down south and southwest of the beachheads as far as 180 miles. The aim apparently was to prevent the German tactical reinforcements from coming up quickly.

American Marauders and Havocs in closer support of the American, British and Canadian ground troops, hit rail junctions at Valognes, Periers, Lessay and Pont Aubault, on the Cherbourg peninsula or on lines leading directly to it. They too hit Rennes and Laval. Rocket-firing Typhoons attacked German Tiger tanks near Breteville, nine miles south of Caen. Thunderbolts bombed Treveries, nine miles west of Bayeux and four and one-half miles inland.

Caen itself was attacked at dawn by Marauders and Havocs which left at least 20 large fires blazing.

Other targets included La Haye du Puits and St. Lo. The latter is an important junction of four highways 16 miles inland on the Vire river.

Allied fighters maintained a widespread umbrella over the beaches as German fighter-bombers attempted periodically to disrupt the flow of reinforcements and supplies.

As evidence that an airfield had been secured on the mainland, it was disclosed that U. S. Ninth air force transports had landed jeeps and guns and that a British major general commanding an airborne division had been given a plane ride back to England.

Divorce Is Petitioned

L. Colbert filed suit for divorce from Lillian Marie Colbert

Calmer At Channel As Troops Land

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brisk breeze off the bridgeheads.

Nearly Caused Disaster
Associated Press Correspondent John A. Morosco, who covered the Allied landings on North Africa and Sicily, reported from an invasion port today that "wind and a choppy channel almost caused disaster" in the invasion.

Vernon E. Brown, London News Chronicle correspondent writing for the combined American and British press, said he was told by Allied authorities that the invasion was undertaken despite the bad weather because further postponement, beyond the first 24-hour delay, would have been impossible.

The date was chosen, Brown wrote, because of a combination of tides, wind and sea, "and there were only three days in which all of these seemed likely to be combined favorably enough for the operation."

On D-day itself, after the postponement, "the weather was still far from good," an Allied officer told Brown, "and we had to consider the possibility of a further postponement."

Decided To Proceed

"It was actually possible," he continued, "to put it off for a maximum of another 24 hours, but our weather forecast said that although the weather was bad at the time it would improve later. It was decided to go ahead."

For some of the Allied troops, many of whom had never seen salt water until they crossed the Atlantic, the channel trip was a more trying ordeal than facing the German guns.

During the night they lay off the beaches awaiting H-hour they were tossed and buffeted continuously by the heaving seas. There were victims of seasickness among the seamen aboard one of the PT boats I rode off the invasion beaches under command of Lt. Comdr. John D. Bulkeley, the hero of the Pacific.

Riding the channel on Monday, the day from which D-day was postponed, was a far worse experience. The lines of the landing craft became separated and the craft milled about like lost sheep. Escort vessels did a good job in rounding them up, however.

It takes a little luck along with skill to make a successful invasion, and on Monday it looked as though Gen. Eisenhower's luck was running out.

But tonight the supreme commander's luck took a decided turn for the better. With today's improvement his forces will be able to make faster and drier landings.

Churchill Warns Of Over-Optimism

By ALEX H. SINGLETON
LONDON, June 8.—(P)—Prime Minister Churchill cautioned the House of Commons today against "over-optimism" regarding the invasion, warning members to keep in mind that "although great dangers lie behind us, enormous exertions lie before us."

The prime minister, an old war-horse who gave up plans to watch the invasion itself only at the insistence of the military, side-stepped an attempt to secure a promise that he would stay away from the battlefield himself, although he advised Commons to be patient regarding the invasion news.

He said he had nothing to tell the House about the progress of the invasion because everything that occurred to him had been "fully met in the excellent reports furnished by our able and upright press."

War Cost The U. S. 217,131 Casualties

WASHINGTON, June 8.—(P)—The war, with no accounting yet of losses in the European coastal landings, has cost the United States 217,131 casualties.

War and navy department reports today gave the army casualties as 171,358, and the navy's as 45,773. This is an increase of 10,245 in the last two weeks. The total included 48,754 dead and 81,032 wounded.

Secretary of War Stimson emphasized in a news conference today the cost of major engagements. American forces lost 2,379 casualties in three days of fighting—May 27 to 30, inclusive—in Italy, Stimson said. This was at a time when a break through of the Nazi line south of Rome was being executed.

The campaign in Italy, from the landings on the mainland last September to May 30, has resulted in 57,529 casualties, including 9,964 killed and 38,554 wounded.

Designate Spain As Dictatorship

WASHINGTON, June 8.—(P)—Designation of Spain as a "dictatorship under debt to Hitler" appeared today in an official state department publication, The Bulletin.

The article, by Livingston T. Merchant, chief of the eastern hemisphere division of the state department's Office of Economic Affairs, contrasted with Prime Minister Churchill's recent "kindly words" for Spain.

In the Pettis county circuit court Thursday.

The couple was married June 1, 1934 in Benton county and separated in April, 1944.

Leo J. Harned is the attorney for the plaintiff.

Instill Bitter, Constant Hatred Of The Americans

By LARRY ALLEN

(Just repatriated from a German prison camp).

NEW YORK, June 8.—(P)—Intense, all-consuming, day and night hatred of the American people is the order of the day in Nazi Germany.

Her press and radio pound it into the war-tired brains of the German people constantly.

Leading the campaign is Robert Ley, chief spokesman for Hitler. Ley's job as chief of the labor front is to keep every able hand working for the war machine. But he travels over all Germany with his cry of hate and blazons it daily in the Berlin newspaper, "Der Angriff."

This is typical:

"Hate! Hate! Hate! Every German must hate the gangsters, the murderers, the assassins who come from the center of world Jewry and capitalism—the United States of America."

"In this war, there can be no compromise with these half-breed Americans who come across the sea to slay in a war that does not concern them."

Runner-up is Reichminister Alfred Rosenberg, who travels from the Baltic countries to Romania.

"Americans are the bloodiest sneer on culture and freedom the world has ever known."

"They erect great skyscrapers of steel and concrete; they live on sex, and propagate a cross-section of the world's worst examples of humanity."

Think Americans Soft

The average German thinks Americans are "soft" because they feed ice cream cones and good food to Nazi prisoners of war.

German prisoners released from the United States frequently told me that Americans regard Germans as "supermen" and treat them as guests.

"You," a German prison camp official told me, "are a prisoner of war. You are subject to the most rigid German military control. This isn't Hollywood—you eat what we give you or go without anything. Germany produces soldiers. Here everyone works. In America, everyone plays and hopes the war will go on for a long time so everyone will make more money."

"To us, this war is life or death. To you Americans, it is just another episode in a Hollywood film. And, of course, as long as your prison camp officials treat Germans like guests, they accept it, but secretly they think you Americans are soft and foolish."

In Innsbruck a German captain dragged me out of a cattle car in which I had ridden for 48-hours with only a slice of black bread and a ring of German wurstmeat to eat.

"Why did you come over here to fight?" He stormed. "Why don't you Americans live up to your Monroe Doctrine of America for Americans and stay out of Europe? You Americans want all the oil and gold in the world!"

"You forget," I answered, "that you first declared war on America. The United States doesn't want anything in Europe. We fight only to preserve the right to live our lives the way we want to live it."

"Schweinhund! American dog!" he screamed. "You will someday live under the Deutsches Reich. We will win this war, because all you Americans think of is money, whiskey and leg-shows."

I shrugged and climbed back upon my pallet of straw.

Confer On Revising Beef Cattle Prices

WASHINGTON, June 8.—(P)—Government food officials and representatives of cattle producers conferred today on proposed revision in beef cattle ceiling prices designed to encourage early marketings from crowded western ranges.

Suggested by the Office of Price Administration, the changes include:

(1) An increase of 50 cents per hundred pounds in the current rollback subsidy rate on all classes of cattle. Rates now range from 50 cents to \$1.45.

(2) A reduction, effective Sept. 4, of 50 cents per hundred pounds in the maximum price for lower grades of beef cattle.

Car Backing Out From Curb Is Struck

George Santo 112½ West Fifth street, was backing his automobile out from the curb at Third street and Massachusetts avenue Thursday evening when it was struck by the car of Carl Diehl, who lives at 301 East Fifth street.

There was considerable damage to the Santo car. Diehl was arrested by investigating police officers and at headquarters he posted \$10 cash bond for appearance in police court this morning.

Bothwell Hospital Notes

Donald Hall, 8 years old, son of Mrs. Marie Hall, 1609 South Carr avenue, admitted for tonsillitis.

Miss Claudine Stoffel of Ottumwa and Bill and Fred Harding, twin sons of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Harding, Jr., dismissed.

Mrs. John D. Rucker 1320 South Ohio avenue, admitted for medical treatment.

U. E. Sartin, Warsaw; Mrs. Ida Wise, Knob Noster; Mrs. Warren S. McManess, 620 South Massachusetts avenue; William M. Hazel, LaMonte; C. W. Decker, Pleasant Green; Barbara Lee Conn, 515 Dal-Whi-Mo Court; Mrs. J. C. Crutcher, 614 West Broadway; Mrs. Robert W. Bonehard and infant daughter, 210 West Third street, dismissed.

Health Of The President Good

WASHINGTON, June 8.—(P)—President Roosevelt's personal physician termed his health excellent "in all respects tonight"—stirring new speculation over a fourth term nomination or a war voyage for the chief executive.

Reporting to newspapermen on a recent physical checkup, Mr. Roosevelt underwent at the Naval Medical Center, the physician, Vice Admiral Ross T. McIntire, described the President as:

"In better physical condition than the average man of his age."

He said the President's mid-spring vacation in South Carolina enabled him to throw off the effects of a series of winter illnesses—flu, intestinal upset, colds, a sinus infection and acute bronchitis.

Describing the results of the May 26 examination, McIntire said:

"I am glad to tell you that the response to the examination was splendid—well within normal limits in all regards x x x a very good report for his age."

Save for the President himself, McIntire probably has more to decide than any other individual about the immediate public future of Mr. Roosevelt. Besides spurring the fourth-term talk, today's report recalled recent discussions of a possible trip abroad.

Mr. Roosevelt himself started the trip talk at a news conference two weeks ago when he said he hoped to see Prime Minister Churchill of Great Britain some time before January 20—end of his present term—but that he would be glad to see him anytime.

Farley Resigns Before Campaign

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
James A. Farley resigned as New York Democratic chairman yesterday (Thursday) in a move widely interpreted as meaning he expects President Roosevelt to run again and that Farley, as a fourth term opponent, does not want to hold party office during the campaign.

In Washington, Senator Overton (D-La.), an opponent of a fourth term nomination, said he assumed Farley would "actively oppose both the renomination and the reelection of President Roosevelt." Most Democrats, however, discounted the possibility that Farley, always a strong party man, would work against any Democratic nominee.

Close friends of Farley said the resignation meant he would not lift a finger to help President Roosevelt get a fourth term, if he is renominated, but would not go to the extent of leading an open revolt or supporting the Republican nominee.

On the Republican side, meanwhile, developments included the withdrawal of government Dwight Griswold of Nebraska as a "favorite son" candidate for the presidential nomination. Griswold urged the six Nebraska delegates pledged to him to vote for Gov. Thomas E. Dewey.

Farley managed Mr. Roosevelt's first two campaigns but broke with him over the third term issue and is known to be strongly opposed to a fourth term. He gave business duties, with consequent little time for party affairs, as his reason for resigning the New York chairmanship.

Results Thursday In Big Leagues

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Night game.

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Cincinnati000 002 000—2 4 0
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First game.
Philadelphia 000 200 100—3 9 3
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Barrett, Covington and Finley; Gregg Webber and Owen.

Second game.
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New York 000 200 40x—6 12 3
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Pittsburgh 002 220 000—6 12 3
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AMERICAN LEAGUE

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Losing Pitcher Berry.

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Page, Zuber, Donald and Garbark; Woods, Ryba and Partee.

Detroit—Chicago postponed. Rain.

Club, Church Enlighten Rural Life

Norma Demand Of Smithton Club Outlines Objectives

Rural Life Sunday in Pettis County was observed in many communities and in various ways. The Georgetown community featured a basket dinner with a social time together after Sunday school and a program during the afternoon presented by the 4-H club of the community with the Rev. R. E. Hurd, of Sedalia, as the speaker of the afternoon. His message contained a challenge to the boys and girls of the community.

The Smithton service included numbers from the various clubs represented and was highlighted by a talk given by Norma Demand on what 4-H club work contributes to rural living. Highlights of her talk are given here:

"4-H Club work is a nationwide program, primarily educational in nature, rating second to the public school system."

"The purpose of 4-H club work is to teach rural boys and girls the latest and best agricultural and home economic practices and the finer and more significant things of rural life."

Fosters Love of Livestock

"No one who has given an animal loving care, who has watched it grow and tended to its needs, has done so without enriching his own nature. That is why the love of livestock which 4-H club projects foster, makes an enduring contribution to a young person's life, reaching far beyond the results he may be able to show with figures."

"The interests of 4-H club members are not bounded by the family hearthstone and farm-lands. Increasing emphasis is being given to such activities as the beautification of church and community plants, to participation in special church services, and to extending helping hands toward less fortunate households. This is the 'greater loyalty' through which the 4-H member becomes aware of a brotherhood embracing not only his home and his club, but the world in which he is a part."

Club Objectives

"The club helps rural youth to develop a sense of responsibility for the attainment of the following objectives:

"To acquire skill in farming, homemaking and community leadership; also to develop a clearer vision of agriculture as a basic industry and homemaking as a worthy occupation to conduct farm, home, and community projects or enterprises."

"To develop an intelligent understanding and appreciation of nature and also the conservation of natural and human resources."

"To develop a scientific attitude toward the problems of the farm, the home, and the community."

"To train in cooperative action as a means of increasing personal accomplishments and of solving community problems."

"To develop desirable habits related to healthful living, intelligent use of leisure time, and a rich and more abundant living."

"To increase rural leadership, community pride and spirit. It builds young men and women who know how to conduct meetings, organize community projects, and who are trained to judge crops, livestock, and products of the farm and home."

"To emphasize the home—the place where the project is usually carried out—and bring parents and children increasingly together in a common interest."

"To develop self-reliance, ambition, and aggressiveness. It applies business methods to farming and promotes industry and thrift."

"To foster individual ownership, a love of nature, and the open country."

"Above all, to develop the highest type of manhood, womanhood, and American citizenship."

Farm Bureau Helpful

Olen Monsees, president of the Pettis County Farm Bureau, gave a few remarks concerning Farm Bureau activities within Pettis County and the Smithton community. He said, "I believe that next to the church, Farm Bureau and the organization it sponsors contribute most to rural living."

In one of the Sedalia churches Home Economics Extension Club women were recognized, 4-H club members and leaders participated in the program and Mrs. J. A. DeJarnette gave a short resume of Home Economics Extension Clubs in Pettis County. Many other Sunday school and church services featured Rural Life during the day.

Those reporting are Mt. Herman, Houstonia, Bethel, Lake Creek Methodist, Hughesville Presbyterian, Eldora Methodist, Flat Creek Baptist, New Bethel, Green Ridge Presbyterian, Sedalia First Methodist, Sedalia Fifth Street Methodist, Georgetown, Broadway Presbyterian, Sedalia and Smithton. Total attendance reported was 900. One hundred thirty-five of those were 4-H members and leaders.

Bond headquarters, 218 South Ohio avenue, phone 67 and 91.

Democrat-Capital Class ads get results, 10 words, 1 week, 80c. Phone 1000.

In the Service

Mrs. James L. Smallwood, 901 South Montebau avenue, has received word of the safe arrival of her husband, Pvt. James L. Smallwood, in New Guinea. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Smallwood, 506 East Tenth street.

T/Sgt. Jesse A. Pruitt received his promotion to that rank last week upon his transfer from Jefferson Barracks to Decatur, Ill. Mrs. Pruitt is with her husband. A Sedalia, he lived at 820 East Eleventh street before his induction into armed service.

Pvt. Shelby F. Pirtle, who is in the hospital at Camp Fannin, Texas, where he is receiving medical treatment, has written the Sedalia Democrat that his sister, Mrs. Merle Allcorn, 1500 East Twelfth street, sends him the paper and that it is a wonderful gift. He writes: "Noody knows how much I enjoy it. I soak up every word in it."

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cooper of Kansas City have received a letter from their son, Charles Ray telling of his promotion from seaman 1/c to petty officer's rating of aviation machinist mate 3/c. He has been stationed aboard an aircraft carrier since August 1943 and states that he has been seeing plenty of action.

He wrote that he had received several copies of the Sedalia Democrat-Capital from a friend, Junior DeWan of Smithton, who is also in the navy and stationed somewhere in the general area. He said it was certainly good to see a copy of the home town paper again.

In telling of the different types of entertainment aboard ship he said they have a splendid band which plays every evening, motion pictures nearly every night and said that he played in a basketball tournament.

Mrs. Raymond Rickey, 609 North New York avenue, has received word from her husband of his safe arrival in Italy. Before entering service Pvt. and Mrs. Rickey resided in St. Louis, Mo., where he was employed at the McQuay-Norris Ordnance plant.

Pvt. Rickey is the son of Mrs. Charles Delaney of 220 East Boonville street.

William Richard Creegan, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Creegan, 409 Florida, Vallejo, Calif., formerly of Sedalia, was graduated May 31 from the Naval Air Training Center, Corpus Christi, Tex., and was commissioned a lieutenant in the U. S. Marine Corps Reserve.

He received his preliminary flight instruction at the Hutchinson, Kas., naval air base.

Cpl. Clifford Neill, son of Mike Neill, 1615 South Main avenue, has been awarded a good conduct medal, according to an announcement from the War Department in the European theater of operations.

BAINBRIDGE, Ga.—Now receiving basic flight training as an aviation cadet at the Bainbridge Army Air Field is Lloyd B. Steele, son of Mrs. Mary M. Steele, Sedalia, Mo.

He completed pre-flight training at Maxwell Field, Ala., and his primary training at one of the many fields throughout the Southeast.

The Bainbridge flying school, a unit of the vast Army Air Forces Training Command, is commanded by Colonel Mills S. Savage, a graduate of Georgia Tech and a veteran in the Army Air Forces.

Cadet Steele, who joined the Air Forces on Oct. 14, 1942, was a machinist before entering the service.

HEADQUARTERS, 78th Infantry Division, Camp Pickett, Va.—Maj. Charles A. Jenkins (Sedalia, Mo.) has been promoted from a captaincy, it was announced this week by Headquarters of the 78th Lightning Division, with whom Maj. Jenkins is serving.

An insurance adjuster in civilian life, Maj. Jenkins received his bachelor of science degree in Engineering at the University of Missouri. His wife, Gail, lives in Wadsworth, Kas. Maj. Jenkins is assigned to the Division Artillery.

Rhynaldo Potter, former Democrat carrier boy, who with his wife has been residing in St. Joseph the past four years, and who is now serving as a member of the hospital crew in the U. S. naval hospital, Great Lakes, Ill., has received a promotion in rank from apprentice seaman to pharmacist's mate third class. He has four more weeks of schooling yet to complete at Great Lakes. Potter is the son of Sam Potter of Syracuse.

Seventeen Die In Plane Crash

SAN DIEGO, Calif., June 8.—(P)—Names of 17 men killed in a navy liberator bomber crash at the Camp Kearny auxiliary air station on Kearny mesa Tuesday were reported last night by the 11th naval district.

Twelve navy men also were injured in the accident.

The dead included Seaman Uila S. Spangler, Marshall, Ark. The injured included Aviationmen Machinist Mate William J. Harrison, St. James, Mo.; Cleo E. Harrett, seaman, Paragould, Ark.; Phineas E. Stockton, marine private, Fouke, Ark.

Lieut. J. W. Russell Awarded Air Medal

Second Lieut. James W. Russell, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Russell, 1608 East Broadway, has been awarded the air medal by Lt. Gen. Geo. C. Kenney, commander of Allied Air Forces in the Southwest Pacific.



Lt. Russell, who is somewhere in New Guinea, is a graduate of Smith-Cotton high school. He was graduated from the advanced flying school at Spence Army Air Field and qualified for aviation cadet training from the enlisted ranks.

Obituaries

Charles A. Neblitt

Mrs. Neblitt, Mrs. A. L. Walter and son, Charles, 1000 West Seventh street, left Thursday for Hamburg, Iowa, to attend the funeral of Mrs. Walter's grandfather, Charles Neblitt, who died Wednesday. Funeral services will be held today.

Mr. Neblitt was 97 years of age.

Funeral Of J. F. Aldred

Funeral services for John Fredrick Aldred, who died Tuesday in Bethany hospital at Kansas City, Kas., were held at the Parker home in LaMonte at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon with the Rev. Harvey J. Smith of the LaMonte Christian church officiating.

Mrs. Paul Teagarden sang "The Beautiful Garden of Prayer" and "Beneath the Sunset" accompanied by Mrs. R. B. Burke. Friends of the family served as